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ERAL NEWS.

RAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

ing Challenge.

arch 19.—On Saturday evening a challenge to Billy Scharff three mile scull race for a $1,000 championship of America. The weight when the challenge was course agreed upon is on the bela, race to take place on the portion of the money is already the stakeholder.

ailway Disaster.

y, Mo., March 19.—An extra the Hannibal and St. Joseph approach to Long near Cameron this morning. and ten cars were wrecked; fireman and brakeman badly approach had been burned supposed to be from sparks locomotive.

Passengers.

arch 20.—The *Tribune's* local of the steamer *Rusland*, passengers looked none the but seemed anxious to soon as possible. About 50 going to Philadelphia and Wisconsin. Nearly who are on their districts of California New York last evening.

of Salt.

the large importa now to about seven due to the fact bring it as ballast westward empty. The fact to New York than to indicate that better return in New York than to

Lewis' Will.

20.—Joseph L. Lewis, of a short time ago, aged entire estate, valued at a to the government, to help debt. He was accredited body who knew him, and had no relations in this Yesterday, however, a appeared in the Surrogate to be his wife, and that a year ago. Another to be a niece, has filed a

of a State Senator.

March 20.—Abner Haines, State Senate from Fuller and was found dead at his morning, lying at the foot Haines was over 70 feeble. He went to his his usual health.

of Maj. Reno.

March 20.—The trial of cavalry, commanding which has been pro martial here, Col. W. is drawing to a officially published, but Bell, of the 7th cavalry, infamous proposals slanderous writings, etc. friends informed to them, and upon his apology. In army general that and his dismissal.

New England.

March 20.—A severe 40 seconds, was

Exchange Dissolved.

March 20.—The Gold Exchange The rooms will be used in Stock Exchange for the sale of stocks.

Storm in Chicago.

arch 20.—A driving snow storm afternoon and blockaded the except in beaten tracks which cleared by snow plows by the On the sides of the piled up 3 or 4 feet high, with great difficulty. The snow heavy, and a rain storm among the improbabilities. showers is reported in the central portion of the State, and communication is badly interrupted.

Commission.

to-day appointed as a com the grasshopper plague Congress, Prof. Riley, State Missouri, Prof. Thomas of Packard of Salem. These leave Washington soon for the report.

cial Scandal.

ch 20.—The *Tribune's* St. Paul the military tribunal to-day, Barr summed up the evi Reno. The specifications Reno, being commander of called at the quarters of her husband was absent the bedside of his improper liberties draw her to his person, repelled, he stepped outside the storm-door, and was passing out some time her hand and renewed his outrage she reported to him Reno afterward threatened to for her because she did to a social gathering at to drive her out of the regi That he cast reflections on her to the chaplain of the insisted on his not stopping holding religious services there. sixth specifications cover sub same ground. Seventh—Reno Wallace that Mrs. Bell had him; her character was he could easily black it he publicly humiliated orders that she should not service, and threaten service if she were allowed to by Mrs. Bell, Chaplain Bedton, Lieut. Wallace and established each specification. little evidence, the accused to testify, nor produce any Mrs. Bell's character. Ex summed up the case for Reno, Barr, after which the under advisement, and a ver forwarded to army headquarters. is that Reno will be dismissed the service.

WEST INDIES.

on German Merchants.

20.—German merchants by the authorities here that contribution of 30 per cent. or be embargoed at the three days. Capt. Gen. Jovellar different from the former war consul has referred the Imperial government at Berlin.

World expresses the opinion fail in his independent pol is evidently father to the would please Democrats better than to witness the President, as they can not help his success will make the Re strong by renewing its hold on the people.

committee on missions for shows that the receipts from the general work entrusted committee, amount to $2 360 20 in the same period $3,511 41.

POLITICAL NEWS.

Critical Condition of Affairs at New Orleans.

Packard's Recruiting Officers Arrested.

The Troops not to be Withdrawn.

Stanley Matthews and Don Cameron Elected Senators.

The Germans Congratulate Hayes on the Appointment of Schurz.

Decision in Favor of Wade Hampton.

More about Civil Service Reform.

Who Shall be the Next Speaker?

Recruiting Officers Arrested.

NEW ORLEANS, March 19.—Nicholls' police are arresting Packard's recruiting officers. Several of them are locked up charged with attempting to create a riot and enlisting men to overthrow the government of Louisiana. They will get a hearing to-morrow.

Packard's Movement.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The *World's* New Orleans special at 10:30 P. M., says: At this hour the excitement has risen high and all manner of rumors and statements are current relative to an intended sally of the Packard forces to-night. Positive information has been received to the effect that Packard has hired a band of Sicilian desperadoes to storm the police stations. Leading Sicilians identified with the people here, know nothing of such a move. In all public buildings, a double militia guard is now stationed, and any attack would be repulsed with terrible slaughter.

Southern Affairs being Considered.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The cabinet is again in session, all the members present, and the affairs of South Carolina and Louisiana are under consideration. There is a number of papers bearing upon these cases being examined, but little discussion is involved, as there is a harmony of views with the President. It does not seem probable that these cases will be disposed of separately, but it is believed that upon the subject of withdrawing troops from their present positions in New Orleans and Columbia the same directions will be given. There is an intense interest manifested to know the result of the consideration.

The Southern Question Soon to be Decided.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—There is every probability of definite action being taken by the President to-morrow upon the Louisiana and South Carolina question.

Packard's Rashness.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The report that Gov. Packard is inclined to violence in New Orleans has been the subject of comment in administration circles, and not of a favorable character, though it has not been formally talked of. Upon representation to the President that Packard may be under the impression that such action on his part would influence an early determination by the government, the President is reported to have said that such a view would indicate poor judgment and a worse opinion of the firmness of the administration.

The Troops will Remain in the South.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The *Post's* Washington special says: The cabinet meeting decides to retain the troops in the South.

Another Report of the Cabinet Meeting.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The *Journal's* Washington special says of the cabinet meeting: Your correspondent has authority of one of the members for saying no conclusion was reached, and the question of what course to pursue still remains open for future consideration. This is about all that can be ascertained at this hour, although the intimation that the troops now in South Carolina and Louisiana will not be withdrawn but kept where they are to maintain peace and prevent the shedding of blood. In reply to a direct question a member of the cabinet said no additional dispatches have been received from New Orleans indicating trouble, and in his judgment public peace would be maintained. I have *no doubt* Packard's demonstration has had some effect here, and excites an influence on the minds of some members of the cabinet to the extent of counseling a retention of the troops for the present. The present status will be maintained for the present, so far as the general government is concerned, in expectation that a peaceable way out of existing complications may manifest itself to both sides.

Probable Appointments.

The Mexican mission will probably be tendered to Senator Christiancy and Mr. Foster now in Mexico be transferred to Spain in accordance with Morton's urgent request. Secretary Chandler is anxious to have Christiancy take the mission as it will leave the Senatorial coast clear for him. It is also reported that Geo. Wm. Curtis will be offered Pierrepont's place in the English mission, and Frelinghuysen be sent to Germany. Washburne wants to remain in Paris and is here pushing his claims. The cabinet will probably consider some foreign appointments to-morrow.

Objections to Langston.

Considerable objection is manifested through the country, by means of letters, to the appointment of John W. Langston, commissioner of agriculture, not on account of his color, but because a practical business man is wanted and not a lawyer. J. P. Dodge, statistician of the department, is mentioned as a proper man for the place.

President pro tem. of the Senate.

Senator Ferry says he holds over as president *pro tem.* on account of Vice President Wheeler's having complied with the suggestions of Republican members and did not, as is customary, leave the chair on the last day's session until it closed. Had he vacated the chair, a new election would have been necessary. Therefore, if both the President and Vice President should die, Ferry would succeed to the Presidency.

Morton Denies Nepotism.

Senator Morton characterizes as a lie the story that he had asked for his son's appointment as paymaster in the marine corps, and that Secretary Thompson had shown his independence by refusing to nominate.

To Importuning Congressmen.

Secretary Schurz says in answer to a question about the status of Congressmen with regard to recommendations for appointments to office that what he desires is information not importuning, and on this basis alone *would Congressmen be consulted.*

Important Circular from the War Department.

Secretary McCrary has issued the following circular: The civil employes now in the service of the United States under the War Department are hereby informed that hereafter removals will be made in this department for cause only and promotions will be ordered upon *the sole* ground of *merit.* Every official must understand that retention and advancement in the service will depend upon a record of good behavior and efficiency and not upon external influence. No political test is required beyond an earnest support of the constitution and its amendments, and proper respect for the rights of citizens guaranteed thereby. Industry and faithfulness in the discharge of duty, a good moral character and strictly temperate habits will be required and enforced, and heads of bureaus will report promptly any case of idleness, neglect of duty, incapacity, drunkenness or any immoral or dishonest conduct, and in case of a vacancy the report thereon will be made accompanied by the names of the most reliable and efficient clerks in the same office, division or bureau from which list the last vacancy shall be filled.

Ohio Democratic Caucus.

COLUMBUS, March 19.—Democratic members of the assembly met to-night, and caucused for three hours. The session adopted a resolution agreeing not to nominate a candidate for the U. S. Senate, but to vote blank in open session.

Matthews Elected Senator.

COLUMBUS, O., March 20.—Stanley Matthews was to-day nominated by the Republicans for U. S. Senator. The Democrats made no nomination. The House proceeded to ballot, which resulted as follows: Matthews, 64; Blank, 34; Alfred Gaither, 6; Frank Hurd, 1. In the Senate 20 Republicans for Matthews and 13 Democrats for Blank. Both Houses will meet in joint convention to-morrow, to officially declare Matthews' election.

Stanley Matthews Sets up Refreshments.

COLUMBUS, March 20.—Members of both branches of the general assembly without regard to party, to-night attended a banquet given by Stanley Matthews at his hotel. Speeches were made by both Republicans and Democrats congratulating Senator Matthews and each other, that so fair minded and cultivated a gentleman had been chosen Senator from Ohio.

Don Cameron Chosen Senator.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 20.—On a ballot for U. S. Senator, the vote in the Senate was Cameron 31, Dill, Dem., 18, Clymer, Dem., 1. In the House, Cameron 116, Dill 74, Curtin 1, Jackson 1. The final vote will be taken to-morrow in joint convention.

German Citizens and the President.

A delegation of German citizens appointed at the recent meeting of Germans here, called upon the President this afternoon and presented him the resolutions adopted at that meeting, tendering him their congratulations upon the patriotic and statesmanlike spirit embodied in his inaugural address, and in the wise and impartial selection of the far-seeing and conciliatory policy announced by him, and their gratification at the selection of Carl Schurz to the cabinet, by which act he clearly recognized the share of naturalized citizens in the destiny of the great American nation. Meyer, chairman of the delegation, made a brief address in which he said—"We merely desire to pay to you our homage for the noble independence exhibited by you in all your initiatory measures as President of the United States, and to tender you our very best wishes for success during your entire Presidential career."

The President replied: "Gentlemen, I am exceedingly gratified at this testimonial of your co-operation with the new work as far as it has gone. I am glad to know through you that my course is satisfactory to the German people. I selected Mr. Schurz for the position he occupies because I thought him the right man, and I am especially gratified that that appointment is satisfactory to my German fellow-citizens."

The committee then withdrew, and proceeded to the Interior Department and presented a copy of the resolutions to Secretary Schurz. Mr. Einstein addressed a few remarks in German to Schurz, wishing him God-speed in the work which he had undertaken. The Secretary returned thanks in German for the compliment.

A Decision against Chamberlain.

CHARLESTON, March 20.—Judge Reed, in the circuit court, rendered a decision in the habeas corpus case, releasing Flynn on the ground that Chamberlain has not authority as governor. The decision concludes as follows: I am of opinion that Wade Hampton was made governor in the State of South Carolina through the ballot-box, in accordance with the constitution, at the election held on the 7th of November last; that he qualified, is no following the letter, the spirit and intent of the constitution, on the 14th of December last; that he has been since that time, and is now, lawful governor of South Carolina, and should be obeyed and respected accordingly. It follows from these views that D. H. Chamberlain was not governor on the 3d of January, 1877, the date of the commission of W. F. Dover as a trial justice for the city of Charleston, and that his appointment and commission were without lawful authority and void.

New York Republicans Endorse Hayes.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The Republican central committee at a meeting to-night passed resolutions eulogizing the policy of President Hayes as calculated to advance the best interests of the country, and produce harmony and good feeling throughout the land. The resolutions expressed the fullest confidence in his administration and approbation of the persons selected to make up the cabinet.

Political Speculations.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says: The President in an interview with a Wisconsin Congressman intimated that the choice of a commissioner of agriculture lay between Rusk of Wisconsin, and Lecoute of Philadelphia; also that no successor of Judge Davis would be named at present. These gentlemen think Senator Howe's chances for the supreme bench excellent.

Control of the Next House.

The *Tribune's* special from Washington says it is understood that the Republicans will endeavor to control the next House in the interest of the administration, and this greatly annoys the Democrats. Foster of Ohio is expected to be the candidate for speaker.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The *Sun's* Washington special says: The first business before the cabinet meeting to-morrow will be the extra session. The probabilities to-night are toward an early call, by the middle of May. Devens' report on the necessity of an extra session will, it is believed, remove any doubt on the subject. The precise date will doubtless be determined by Foster's candidacy for the speakership. Foster is Hayes' man. He is not popular with the Republican minority; however, it is Foster or a Democrat. To reverse the House five votes are needed. A strong, compact, clear-headed force of Southern politicians is at work to secure them. Randall is in town this evening, and feels certain of the attendance of one hundred and fifty-one men in the Democratic caucus, pledged to vote for the Democratic candidate. In caucus he feels assured of a majority. He sees no signs of a change and expects none. Southern men are, however, accepting Federal offices so freely at Hayes' hands, that it is fair to conclude five men will vote for a Republican Speaker without committing themselves politically. Much will depend in this matter on the celerity with which Hayes acts.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Conant Exonerated.

CHICAGO, March 19.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: Secretary Sherman authorizes the statement that investigation entirely disproves the charges against Conant. There is apparent conspiracy to injure him. Conant denounces the published affidavits as down right perjury.

Conant Going for his Traducers.

Assistant Secretary Conant proposes to ask, before the grand jury, the indictment of discharged employes who have made false affidavits against him. Special Agent Moore, alarmed at the prospect of his own removal and his failure to oust Conant, to-day filed with Secretary Sherman a denial that he originated the charges or is responsible for their publicity.

Government Timber Lands.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Important orders will be issued by the Interior Department shortly, for the protection of timber on the public domain from depredations. The present system of entrusting its care and the detection of depredators to local land offices will be abolished, and the Department will send out specially qualified agents to detect and report to the Department of Justice for prompt punishment all persons cutting timber on public lands without authority of the government.

The Washington Monument.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—It is understood that the board of engineers making the examination as to the foundation of the Washington national monument to thoroughly ascertain whether it is sufficient to sustain the weight of the complete structure have reported in favor of the sufficiency of the monument, and the appropriation of $200,000, or so much as remains after the examination costs are paid, has become available.

Specie Payment Question.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The *Journal's* Washington special says the story has been circulated that the administration is preparing a financial policy to secure early resumption. Secretary Sherman is reticent on the subject, but several members of the Senate financial committee say there will be no radical departure from the policy heretofore pursued.

Postal Affairs.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—First Assistant Postmaster General Tyner entered upon the duties of his office to-day. The Postoffice Department has made provisions for a tri-weekly mail to the Black Hills country, commencing May 1st.

No Decision Reached.

The cabinet meeting to-day lasted nearly five hours. Besides the Southern question there were under consideration the subject of civil service regulations to be applicable to the country at large, and the question of the necessity for an extra session. No action was taken and they will come up again for discussion and probably final decision to-morrow.

A Crazy Man Sues the Ex-President.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Thos. Briggins, who was before the committee on the administration of affairs in the lunatic asylum as a witness a year ago, and testified about the spirit of Gen. Grant being at his bedside, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the ex-President for false imprisonment and $1,000,000 damages. He was arrested a month ago by the police for threatening Gen. Grant and sent to the asylum.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Bank of England.

LONDON, March 20.—Amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, £150,000.

The English Boat Race.

LONDON, March 20.—Betting on the Oxford and Cambridge boat race is even.

Bank of Germany.

BERLIN, March 19.—The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows a decrease of 360,000 marks.

Italian Military Supplies.

ROME, March 19.—The chamber of deputies began to debate the government's proposal for an extraordinary grant of fifteen million livre for military purposes.

Will be Allowed to Print.

LONDON, March 19.—The Italian minister of public worship in a circular, orders the authorities not to proceed against journals which print the allocution delivered by the Pope at the recent consistory. He declares that the government confident in unity and freedom of Italy, wished to give the world a solemn proof of its sentiments of forbearance and tolerance notwithstanding violent language of allocution which appeals to the bishops to incite foreign governments against Italy.

Amnesty for Communists.

VERSAILLES, March 20.—The extreme Left have resolved to again introduce a motion for amnesty for the Communists.

Decline in Silver.

LONDON, March 20.—The *Financier* says silver fell to 53½@54 per ounce yesterday in consequence of the proposed increased drawings of India council bills. A large amount of silver is now offered here by the German government, and a decline took place in the Calcutta exchange 1s 8½d per rupee. To-day silver is quoted at 53½d.

Yakob Bey's Army.

BERLIN, March 20.—The main army of Yakob Bey, of Kasgar, 50,000 strong, is stationed in a fortified camp at Tarpur. The Chinese force opposing him is at least as numerous.

Germanic Supreme Tribunal.

The Reichstag yesterday commenced the discussion of the bill for establishing a supreme tribunal of Germany at Leipsig. The Prussian minister of justice and moderate Liberals declared Berlin the only fitting place for the tribunal. Advanced Liberals declared in favor of Leipsig, so as to free the court from government influence, and Ultramontanes, Particularists and some of the moderate Liberals will vote with the advanced party. A majority of about 25 is expected in favor of Leipsig.

Alsace and Lorraine.

Prince Bismarck has again promised Alsace and Lorraine as considerate treatment and as large a measure of local autonomy as is compatible with the imperial interests.

The Pope's Temporal Power.

LONDON, March 20.—The *News* publishes a letter from Rome containing the following: The extreme section of Ultramontanes are at this moment enlisting adherents to the cause of Rome. Various Jesuits bearing instructions from Father Beck and the General of Jesuits have arrived at the Vatican from Florence. Father Beck warmly counsels the project. I have positive assurance that Beck and his adherents promise little short of a speedy re-establishment of the temporal power of the Pope. There is no doubt steps in this direction have long been preparing. Catholic societies in Austria and Germany have pledged themselves to co-operate. One essential feature of the plan is that the next conclave is to be held in Rome, so that the new Pope may be proclaimed as a prisoner, like Pius. Cardinal Simeoni approves and supports the plan, and the Pope has himself written letters to the Emperor of Austria, King of Belgium, President MacMahon and Ex-Queen Isabella. A series of express instructions has been issued from the Vatican to avoid a collision with the civil authorities, but at the same time to keep up a pressure on Catholic powers to obtain their adhesion to the crusade for the resuscitation of the Roman question. The Vatican has obtained lists of volunteers prepared to serve under the Papal flag, and large sums of money have been deposited in France and England.

Resignation Accepted.

BERLIN, March 20.—The Emperor has accepted the resignation of Baron Von Storck, chief of the German admiralty.

Bishops Nominated.

ROME, March 20.—At the consistory held to-day the Pope nominated several bishops, among them Rev. Bishop Hannon for Halifax, and Rev. John Morel for St. Augustine, Fla.

The Pope pronounced a brief allocution, reaffirming with increased vehemence his declarations of March 12th, and adding that he would raise a protest before the whole world against the attempt to deprive him of liberty of speech.

Address to the Queen.

LONDON, March 20.—In the House of Commons Reginald York moved an address to be presented to the Queen, praying for the appointment of a royal commission to inquire into the origin, objects, present constitution, customs and usages of the London stock exchange and the mode of transacting business, and whether such rules, customs, etc., are in accordance with the principles that should govern public policy, and if not, to advise Her Majesty in what respect they might be beneficially altered and how far legislation might be employed for that purpose. Sir Stafford Northcote personally opposed the motion, but the Government remains neutral.

The editor of a journal in Chicago devoted to spiritual philosophy, for the purpose of refuting a statement of Dr. Forbes Winslow, of London, that ten thousand persons in the United States have gone insane on the subject of Spiritualism, addressed letters to the superintendents of 87 asylums in this country as to the facts. He received answers from 58, and from the tables published it appears that of 23,328 insane persons now or recently in 58 institutions, 412 are reported insane from religious excitement, and 59 from excitement caused by Spiritualism.

Wm. G. Grace, the celebrated English cricketer, is about to abandon the bat for the scalpel. The friends of the game in England will present him with a service of plate on the occasion of his retirement. His record as a run getter is wonderful.

THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Russia's Demobilization.

LONDON, March 20.—The *Telegraph* says negotiations for Russian demobilization on the success of which England's adhesion to the protocol depends, are still in progress, and have not reached a practical issue.

Good and Bad News.

LONDON, March 20.—A Vienna dispatch to the *Times* says simultaneously with good news from the west comes nothing but bad news from the East. Intelligence in regard to the popular feeling in Constantinople indicates a state of things which experience has proved to be the precursor of a great crisis.

Softas in Arms.

There are 3,000 Softas in Constantinople, well armed and ready for any movement. It is said the leader of the battalion of soldiers who fought against the Servians during the late war, is among the persons recently arrested.

The Turkish Army.

LONDON, March 20.—Several highly distinguished European officers, long investigating the strength of the Turkish army, state that the official estimates are vastly exaggerated. The Turks only have, on the Danube frontier and in Bosnia and Herzegovina, 159,000 men, with what seems hardly credible, 225 cannon. This force they are preparing to strengthen with a reserve of 25,000 men. They have on the Asiatic frontier about 75,000 men and 130 cannon. Altogether their army numbers 250,000.

Supplement to Protocol.

It is asserted that a stipulation relative to Russia's disarming, which could not appear in the protocol, is embodied in a special dispatch of the Russian government to Count Schouvaloff, who is empowered to give a copy to Lord Derby.

Situation in Turkey.

The *Times* says, never within the memory of man has there been such enduring excitement in the Ottoman capital. We may hope, however, that the Porte still possesses sufficient authority to maintain domestic quiet. Whatever may be the state of the empire, it has the advantage in this—that a great part of the Christian population have a profound dread of the threatened war, and however much they dislike the Turks they shrink from the process of being liberated.

VIENNA, March 2.—*Political Correspondence* gives intelligence from Belgrade that Pontiff Effendi, the Turkish envoy, was received by Prince Milan to day to present the Imperial firman. Peace with Servia is thus definite.

Distrust of Edhem Pasha.

LONDON, March 20.—The *Times'* Vienna special says: According to accounts from Constantinople, the despondency caused by Midhat Pasha's fall has been succeeded by an exasperation which seems ready for almost anything. Hope in the Pasha's ability to save Turkey might have proved illusory, but it certainly was exceedingly strong. Edhem Pasha and his colleagues vainly endeavor to do their best, but no one believes in them. They can not carry the popular feeling with them. Discontent grows daily; the police are kept constantly searching after the authors of placards which are posted by night, even on public buildings, guarded by sentries and anonymous letters to ministers full of invectives. An incapable government, which takes all able-bodied Mohammedans for soldiers, grinds down the people by war-taxes, and yet makes a humiliating peace with Servia, and talks of ceding territory to Montenegrin robbers. Ulemas and Softas are transported to St. Jean de Acre, but that does little good, as the same language that appears in the placards is current among the people, being spoken openly in every cafe, and conspiracies are thought to exist, which are more or less of the same mind. In this condition of the popular mind the prospects of negotiations with Montenegro cause great anxiety, but what is feared above all by all reflecting persons at Constantinople, is the eventual disbanding of the army. The people have been disturbed from their normal avocations, throughout the empire to defend their country and religion, and now these thousands of Albanians, Circassians, Arabs and Kurds are to go home again probably unpaid to find their lands untilled and homes destitute. Every letter from outlying provinces is full of apprehension of the possible consequence of a wholesale disbandment of this kind.

OREGON.

Mr. David Sowarts, arrested for theft, had his examination at Albany last Saturday, and was discharged, the proof failing in toto.

The cabin of George Black of Jackson county was broken into the other day and robbed of a watch and a small amount of money.

The county court of Marion county has authorized the Mount Jefferson Pass Wagon Road Company to construct its road and collect tolls thereon.

Mrs. Emma Pendal, daughter of Mr. Theodore Cartwright, of Salem, died at Antelope valley, March 11. Her remains were brought to Salem for interment.

Mr. A. C. Jones, of Jacksonville, who has just returned from a trip to Lake county, reports to the *Times* that the snow has almost entirely disappeared from the mountains in that direction.

Says the Jacksonville *Times:* More trouble has been transpiring between the miners on Jackass during the past few days, concerning water rights. It seems that the mines worked by the Chinese, but owned by white men, are above those mined exclusively by whites, and the water used in working them is caught in a dam from the creek. One day recently the white miners went up in a body and tore the dam out, which they have repeated whenever the reservoir was repaired.

The hotel at Yoncolla was discovered on fire on the morning of the 18th inst., a few minutes past midnight. It was occupied by Mrs. Wells, who, with her three little children and her niece, Miss Alice Roberts, were all the persons in the building at the time. A sewing machine and a few bed clothes were all that was saved. The fire undoubtedly originated from a faulty stove pipe. Mrs. Wells' loss is some $300 or $400 in household goods. The building was worth some $700. Everything was destroyed except the little above mentioned.

From the *East Oregonian:* Thursday last a terrible accident occurred to Johnny Adams, aged 6 years, son of Wm. Adams, a laborer at the Government sawmill on the reservation. An elder brother, aged 8 years, was chopping on a log with a very sharp ax; unfortunately his little brother was playing in reach of the little chopper, and had his hands on the log near by. The ax by some means glanced and severed entirely the little finger from the right hand, nearly severing the next, and *cutting severely* the next. Dr. McKay was called and dressed the wounds of the little sufferer, who is now doing as well under the circumstances as possible.

A correspondent from Lake county informs the Jacksonville *Times* that while out on a hunting and trapping expedition recently S. H. Williams and Isaac Gearheart discovered a cave of salt near the Klamath river. In their meanderings, they came upon a high bluff of burnt quartz and began looking for gold-bearing rock, during which search they found their way into a large cave containing a white substance that proved to be salt of a pure quality. They also found saltpetre in one portion of the cave. Persons who have examined it say the bed of salt is very extensive. The bluff *spoken of above* is a burnt mass of quartz and flint, with some indications of gold. There are also prospects of good diggings and plenty of water to work them. The parties intend commencing work soon.

James Russell Lowell is an angler and a pedestrian, never riding when he can walk. He is in excellent health, and looks manly, robust and erect. He may sometimes be seen in bleak, wintry weather, walking leisurely through Cambridge thoroughfares with not even the ghost of an overcoat enveloping him.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Ophir 22¼, Mexican 10, G & C 11½, B & B 20, California 45½, Savage 6½, Con Va 42½, Chollar 5¼, H & N 4 65, C Point 8½, Yellow Jacket 11½, Imperial 1 40, Alpha 16½, Belcher 6¼, Confidence 7¼, S Nev 6½, Utah 16½, Exchequer 5½, Bullion 15, Overman 59½, Succor 75c, Justice 11½, Union 7½, Bryan 5c, Julia 4 65, Caledonia 6½, S Hill 5½, Baltimore 1½, Dayton 50c, New York 55c, Occidental —, P Sheridan 9½, Alta 1½, Woodville 60c, Mint 20c, Lady Washington 2, Andes 1 05, Ward 85c, N Con Va 60c, Prospect 25c, Trojan 1 05, Leviathan 50c.

EVENING BOARD.—B & B 1¼, Eu Con 17, Alps 1½, Patch 3 35, Leopard 4, Gila 60c, Hussey 20c, Thomas 25, Manhattan 8½, Grand Prize 40, Modoc 3 15, N Coso 4 90, G Chariot 3 10, Poorman 10c, Leeds 2 80, Belle 25, Harrisburg 40c, Bullion 1¼, Justice [illegible], Chollar 5¼, Overman 57, G & C 11½, Ophir 20¼, Cala 44¼, Caledonia 6½, Point 8½, Savage 6¼, Imperial 1 35, H & N 4¼, Nevada 6¼.

A Murderous Wife-beater.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—John W. W. Johnston, of the firm of Crane & Johnston, attorneys, was arrested about 2 o'clock this morning upon a charge of an assault to murder his wife. The family live at No. [illegible] Russ street, and about 2 o'clock yesterday morning Johnston beat his wife terribly and went back to his house three or four times afterwards and tried to shoot her, but did not succeed. At last accounts the woman was alive, though it was not expected she could survive. No motive for committing the deed has yet transpired.

Concerning Coal Mines.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—H. B. Berryman, who left on the *City of Panama* to-day goes to Nanaimo in the interest of the Wellington mine. It is supposed he will endeavor to have work resumed either by making terms with the strikers or sending a full force of new men. Berryman is agent for the mine. It is reported on presumably good authority that proposals have been made to the proprietors of the Seattle mine and the new mine at Tacoma for the sale of their products here. If arrangements are made a new line of steamers will be put on with Otis Freeman, formerly of Pacific Mail, agent.

There is also talk of putting the brick steam yacht *Ralston* on the route from Olympia to Victoria making daily trips and running in connection with the new line of steamers, also if satisfactory guarantees are given, the steamers will be put on, running to Gray's Harbor.

Stock Brokers Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Two stockbrokers, L. J. Davis and Lafayette F. Loveland, were arrested this afternoon on a warrant sworn out by Isidore Blum, charging them with embezzlement in converting to their own use a note for $4,000, the property of plaintiff, left in their hands. The case is set for to-morrow.

Opium Seizure.

An important seizure of opium was made to-day by Giles H. Gray, surveyor of customs. The amount seized was about 500 pounds, valued at $5,000. It was found concealed in the cargo of the P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *City of Peking*, which is now discharging China and Japan freight. No arrests have been made. The owners of the smuggled goods are not known.

The Chico Murders.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Business men of this city yesterday contributed $100,000 to aid in the arrest and punishment of the Chico murderers, and, if necessary to accomplish that end, offer to double or quadruple that sum. The money has been sent to Chico by Frederic A. Bee, who represented Chinese merchants in the investigation held by the Congressional committee on Chinese immigration in this city last fall. It has come to light that Bee received a postal card on the 7th inst., of which the following is a copy:

COL. F. A. BEE, city—*Dear Sir:* The 11 of [illegible] you marked. You had better not have sent your $500 to Chico. The Chinamen have got to leave this country, and that little affair in Butte county is only a preliminary. Take my advice and leave this State in thirty days or you will be killed. All of you who are in for coolies and against the whites here are marked.

The above was mailed at Station B, March 17th, twelve miles from this city. It was written in a disguised hand.

An Oregon Bunko Sharp Arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—A man named Jas. E. Ladd alias Jas. Hanna was arrested this afternoon on a requisition from Oregon. He was indicted on the 4th of January for the crime of playing bunko, by which he swindled a man named C. Lancaster out of $100. An officer was sent from Oregon with two requisitions for Hanna, one for the crime of bunko and another for malicious mischief. When the officer met Hanna this afternoon he asked to see the requisition. The officer handed him a requisition on the charge of malicious mischief, when Hanna instantly tore it up. The one for bunko is sufficient, however, to take him back to Oregon, where he can be charged with felony in destroying the requisition.

A U. S. War Steamer.

VALLEJO, March 20.—The *Lackawanna* left Mare Island at 6 o'clock this morning for San Francisco.

Solano Grand Jury.

The grand jury of Solano county, which has been investigating the affairs of the county offices for the past term of years, met at Fairfield yesterday to make their report, but were compelled to adjourn for 10 days on account of absence through sickness of one of their number.

Rather too Eccentric.

SAN DIEGO, March 20.—This forenoon one Ridler Gardener, of eccentric character, who has had some ill feeling toward the superintendent of the water works, for fancied reasons, laid in wait for him as he passed to his business, and shot at him. The pistol missed fire twice, but the third time the ball passed close to Covert's head. Covert returned the fire four times, hitting Gardener every time. One shot broke his thigh bone. The other wounds are not serious. His leg has been amputated near the body, and he can scarcely live till night.

Southern Pacific Railroad.

A special to the *Union* from Yuma says Col. Gray, chief engineer of the Northern Pacific, arrived last night, two days from San Francisco via the end of the track at Mammoth tanks on the desert. He reports encouraging progress.

The Election Fraud Question.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Republican State Central Committee, held last week, a committee was appointed to report at another meeting to be held next week on some plan of action with regard to the recent report of the finance committee of the Board of Supervisors on the investigation of the alleged election frauds in this city.

Fruit Growers—Meat Raisers.

A convention of fruit growers and meat raisers was held in this city to-day, at which the California Fruit Co. was disincorporated and a new company formed, to be known as the California Fruit and Meat Shipping Co., with a capital of $[illegible]00,000, to carry on the business of shipping fruit and meat from California and Nevada, in patent refrigerator cars, to the East and Europe. Two hundred thousand shares of stock were taken up at the meeting this evening. About 30 delegates were present from California, Nevada, and Utah. Another meeting will be held April 11th.

NEVADA.

The New Bonanza.

VIRGINIA, March 20.—D. T. Curtis, superintendent of the Ophir, Mexican, Union Con and Savage mines, visited the Con Va and Cala mines yesterday. He expressed the opinion that some undiscovered ore bodies existed in proximity to the east wall of the Comstock, and that although there would be some "porphyry" found between them and the main vein, they would be found to be an "integral" part of the Comstock. This has been his opinion all along, but he was now confirmed in it by what he has seen in the west drift from the 1,650 foot level of the G. & C. shaft. In the drift a "horse" of porphyry has been encountered between two ore bodies, the first of which was 25 and the other [illegible] wide. He had no doubt but that about [illegible] feet south of the drift the porphyry would cut out and the ore body widen to much more than 100 feet. This was at a point corresponding to that where the ore was narrowest on the level above. Consequently the main ore body would be wider than on the 1,550 level. Furthermore, he thought that the ore of the best possible evidence of a permanent [illegible] of the Con Va was to be found in the dip of the east clay of the main ore body on the 1,500 foot level. This clay had a slant [illegible] the west. On the 1,550 it is nearly vertical, and on the 1,650 it dips to the east at an angle of between 48 and 50 degrees.

Convicted of Manslaughter.

James Rice alias Kid, who shot Rein on the 11th of December, was last night convicted of manslaughter.

[illegible]

[illegible]

BEAVER, March 20.—John D. Lee is kept in very close confinement and is guarded by [illegible] troops. He is [illegible] before the [illegible] bed of Mormondom [illegible] son-in-law, who [illegible] rescue [illegible] is very sullen [illegible] bewailing his fate in [illegible] spirit. He denounces [illegible] severity born of a [illegible] guard at Camp Cameron [illegible] a company from Camp [illegible] arrive here [illegible] St. George, and will have a [illegible] execution [illegible] will not be known [illegible] known; they [illegible] names given only to the [illegible] and here that their lives would [illegible] much if their identity [illegible] has now only three [illegible] is done or attempted [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

VICTORIA, March [illegible] quiet have come [illegible] tering the [illegible] Straits and anchoring [illegible] is chargeable [illegible] rate [illegible] clearing from [illegible] three dollars [illegible] four dollars [illegible] agreement, not to [illegible] rates. For [illegible] Nanaimo [illegible] Fraser River [illegible] per [illegible] per day if [illegible]

[illegible]

A couple of [illegible] Port Townsend [illegible] they were [illegible]

For San Francisco.

The steamship [illegible] for San Francisco [illegible]

C. E. Bagley has been appointed [illegible] officer at this port.

[illegible]

L. S. Lovell, the Tacoma [illegible] has entirely recovered.

The ship *David Hoadley*, bound for Port Gamble, is in quarantine on account of small pox on board.

The *Daily* [illegible] has suspended publication. The publishers promise to resume it on a firm basis.

The Tacoma *Herald* mentions the [illegible] of Mr. Ezra Meeker, a contractor on the N. P. R. R., between Tacoma and the [illegible] mines.

Water has been [illegible] at Walla Walla [illegible] in the recent freshet than it [illegible] before. The Walla Walla and Columbia River railway was badly damaged.

A special meeting of the [illegible] was held on the evening of the 15th [illegible]

Judge Lewis has [illegible] new trial in the case of [illegible] is under sentence of death [illegible] been taken to the Supreme Court.

Says the Walla Walla *Statesman* [illegible] We [illegible] [illegible]

The Seattle [illegible]

The Singer Manufacturing Co. report their sales for the year 1876 at [illegible] machines, being an excess of 12,464 machines over their sales of 1875.

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 21, 1877.

INFORMATION, NOT IMPORTUNITY.

Secretary Schurz only expresses the views of the President, as indicated by all his acts, when he says what he wants from Congressmen and Senators is information, not importunity. That is the true position to be taken if the civil service reform is to amount to anything. As the New York *Times* says, "for years past we have been accustomed to the spectacle of Senatorial or other interference when influential or profitable positions were to be filled. If a vacancy occurred, certain Senators arrogated the right of saying who should occupy it, and their selection was regulated not by considerations of personal fitness or public interest, but by some ulterior object of their own, in respect either to the reward of services rendered to themselves, or to the probable exigencies of their own future. Thus, the only proper method of dispensing patronage was destroyed. The President, who alone is responsible for the character and efficiency of his appointees, virtually surrendered his right of selection to Senators, who have no responsibility in the case, and whose misuse of the power conceded to them brings discredit upon the President rather than upon themselves. This attempt to evade the duties of a great trust, on one hand, this impudent exercise of a power not meant to be delegated, on the other, make up the substance of the inexcusable system against which the Republican party revolted at Cincinnati. The candidates thrown overboard there were not so objectionable personally as because they were identified with the growth of a system in itself demoralizing and in its results disastrous to the public service. A nomination made upon that basis would have failed, and would have deservedly failed, because directly at variance with the sentiment that had sprung up throughout the country in opposition to the corrupt and corrupting influences which were fast destroying the integrity of the Government."

Whether the further remark of the *Times*, that "Clear as the lesson has seemed to be, there are Senators and 'machine' politicians who doggedly resist its consequences," will prove a continuing truth, is not yet certain. Indications are, however, that the machine Senators are rapidly approaching the conclusion that all efforts to override the President and break down his policy are futile, and that they would as well surrender gracefully at once as persist in an endeavor that must prove fruitless in the end. No doubt some of the machine men in their chagrin and mortification, will improve the opportunities which they may have in imparting such "information" as will tend to help them on in their own schemes, and in this way will, in some cases, get their retainers into place; but that is quite a different thing from the exercise of the powers they have hitherto been accustomed to use in rewarding their henchmen for personal services.

STICK TO YOUR LAST.

The Puget Sound *Courier* offers some wholesome advice, peculiarly applicable on this Northwest coast, on the subject of how to get along in the world. The secret of success is persistence. Says the *Courier*: Starting out in life it is not nearly so important for young folks to find out what they are "good for," as what is good for them. Many young men emerge from the obscurity of their early lives and start upon the high road with no definite purpose. All they know is that they are out upon the broad highway, mixing with the world, having "cut loose" from parental care and early surroundings, and are struggling, jamming and crowding their way along—after, they know not what—only they have a faint, misty kind of an idea that success of some kind awaits them in the future. As well expect a street loafer to become a fine scholar, or a good mechanic to be made of one who never enters the tool-shop. Nothing but a radical change can bring about the desired result. Then again, many change from one business to another until they are too old to ever become eminently successful in anything. Having learned a business it is almost always unwise, and sometimes even dangerous, to change it for another calling. We have a national vice in this respect which is particularly pernicious. While unskilled workers were in demand, and unskilled work profitable, it was safe enough and often even desirable, to substitute one occupation for another, laboring to supply the demand of the day. But the alteration which has taken place in the character of our country, our growth from the condition of new settlements to that of populous States and Territories, has wrought an important change in all this, and it is now of paramount importance that every man shall thoroughly learn a business. So, too, it is only in the persistent pursuit of the business learned that there is now any safety. The temptation to change, is often very strong, when a man finds his own occupation a plodding one, bringing only its small regular wages. In such cases it is well enough to remember that so much a day is not so much every day. The canvasser who makes fifty dollars a day is sure to speak of it, although he will tell you nothing of the many weary days whose work brought him nothing. The temptation to abandon one avocation for another is often greatly increased by the false lights in which we see other people's work and circumstances. We draw unjust comparisons between our neighbor's work and our own, knowing our own perfectly and his imperfectly. It is a well known fact that the profits of different handicrafts do not vary very materially from one standard, and it is safe to say there is no great difference in the net results of legitimate occupations open to any one man. In other words, every man's money-getting power is limited by his character, his intellectual capacity, his education and his capital."

Secretary McCrary has followed the Secretary of the Interior and Postmaster General, [illegible] proclamation to the civil employes in his Department. Not political or partisan services, but faithfulness and efficiency in official duty, and good moral character, are to be the securities of their tenure hereafter. This makes them freemen, destroying the power of the politicians who have heretofore held the fate of government employes in their hands. The slavery from which this proclamation frees those to whom it is issued, has been less absolute in the War Department than in the Departments that are purely civil, but that Department has been by no means free from its mischievous influence. The postmasters throughout the country are now at liberty to pursue their own course in personal and political relations, without danger from the Senators; the officers and employes of the Interior Department enjoy a like freedom; and though the heads of the Department of the Treasury and of Justice have not formally advised their subalterns of a like manumission, the fact that all the Departments are under the common head from which the reform springs is a sufficient assurance to them of their liberation. President Hayes has undertaken the work in a manner that shows he has a thorough comprehension of the situation and its requirements, and that, having weighed and measured all the obstacles in the way of making the reform—in his own language—"thorough, radical and complete," he has resolved to carry it through. The power to do this is in his hands, even though the party politicians should make a persistent fight against him. He has the people with him *en masse*, and as he has definitely announced his purpose not to be led into the temptation of a candidacy for re-election he can well afford to defy the power of those who manipulate party organizations. Lincoln will go down to posterity as the liberator of four million colored people; Hayes as the liberator of a hundred thousand white men.

The *Standard* concludes that since there was "no minority action" in the matter of the opposition of the Bar Association of Washington city to the appointment of Fred Douglass as U. S. Marshal, it was not the Democratic lawyers, but the entire bar that opposed the appointment. That is simply absurd. It was not a matter for a minority report. The question was not whether the appointment should be solicited by the lawyers, but whether they should oppose it, and the Democrats carried the motion. That was an end of the matter. The Republicans, of course, did not feel called upon to present a petition for his appointment; but every reasonable person knows they would not object to the appointment of a man because of the color of his skin. That is not the Republican way. But the *Standard* *presumes* the opposition was unanimous. Why? It is not so stated, and the presumption is that the Republicans acted like Republicans and refused to engage in opposing a good man on account of the accident of his color. The more natural presumption is that the Republicans refusing to countenance, by their presence, a meeting called for the purpose of giving expression to Democratic prejudices, stood aloof and allowed the Democratic lawyers an open field in which to exhibit their narrowness and folly.

James Berry writes from St. Helens to correct statements contained in a letter which appeared in the *Standard* of March 11th, signed "Pro Bono Publico," the statements referred to being such as reflected on the character of Mr. Berry. He says the charge that he sold liquor without license is wholly without foundation. Also that the case against J. W. Campbell, which gave rise to the letter in the *Standard* was without foundation, and he was acquitted on the hearing. Mr. Berry makes very serious counter charges against the author of the *Standard's* letter, but as that is a personal matter in which the general public are not particularly interested, we conclude to leave that branch of the discussion to the parties themselves, giving Mr. Berry and Mr. Campbell the benefit of the corrections of the misstatements concerning themselves.

In a conversation that recently occurred between Judge Swayne and Hewitt, the latter remarked: "Judge, isn't it painful to note the fact that the judges on the electoral commission do not rise above partisanship, but uniformly vote on party lines?" The judge assuming a distressed expression of countenance, replied, "Why, yes, my dear sir, it is a subject of mortification to me, and I have seriously thought of remonstrating with Brothers Clifford and Field on that subject, but you know it would be rather a delicate matter to do, and perhaps you had better speak to them yourself."

Congressman Foster is mentioned, says the *Tribune*, as a candidate for the Speakership of the XLVth Congress. He is said to have developed much popularity among the Southern conservatives, and his friends are sanguine enough to say that he would be more likely than any other man to get the few Democratic votes necessary to the election of a Republican Speaker. It is hardly probable, however, that the Presidency and the Speakership of the House of Representatives will be given to the same State.

The mines of Austria had a total revenue of 78,000,000 florins in the year 1875, while they occupied 98,000 working people. Of this total 76 per cent. falls to the share of the production of coal and iron alone, with 83 per cent. of the total of workmen.

Joaquin Miller will lecture in Philadelphia in April on "Literary London."

The Singer Manufacturing Co. report their sales for the year 1876 at 262,316 Machines, being an excess of 12,464 machines over their sales of 1875.

MARRIED:

At Forest Grove, March 15, by Rev. H. Lyman, Mr. John E. Baily to Miss Minnie L. Smith, both of Forest Grove.

At the house of Mrs. Catharine Tallman, Washington county, March 18, by Rev. H. Lyman, Mr. Jean Dickens to Mrs. Catharine Tallman, both of Washington county.

In Puyallup Valley, March 13, F. W. Spinning and Miss Elma A. Baker.

DIED:

In Salem, March 18, Frances Marion Phillips, aged 20 years.

At Union, Mason county, W. T., March 6, R. C. Morang, aged 51 years.

At Port Townsend, March 12, James Newton, aged 12 years.

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W. WADHAMS,
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m21d1aw3W Clerk of U. S. District Court.

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March 17, 1877 m17d1m

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FRONT AND ALDER STS., PORTLAND

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Company will be held at the Company's office, corner of First and Yamhill streets, Portland, Oregon, on Wednesday, March 28, 1877, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and transacting such other business as may properly come before a Stockholders' meeting.
WILLIAM KAPUS, Secretary.
Portland, Oregon, March 17, 1877.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL MEETING OF SAMARITAN LODGE No. 2, I. O. O. F., to confer the Degree of "Rebekah" Monday evening, March 26th, 1877, at 8 o'clock. By order of N. G. m[illegible]

DRY GOODS.

ON WEDNESDAY,

MARCH 21st,

WE WILL OPEN

OUR NEW STORE

WITH A

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OF

New and Seasonable

DRY GOODS,

FRESH FROM

New York and San Francisco.

These Goods have been purchased from the very best Houses, at the very LOWEST RATES, and we are determined to offer them at prices that will secure their

SPEEDY DISPOSAL.

Our Stock will consist partly of

Black Silks, of the Cachmire finish.
Colored Silks, Shawls,
Dress Goods in great variety.
Silk Cashmeres of the choicest make and finish.
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English, French and American Prints.
Ladies' and Children's Hosiery.
Ladies' Underwear,
Linen Cambric Handker'fs,
Neck Ties, Fans,
Ruching, in endless quantity.
Quilts, Blankets, Domestics
Table Damasks, Napkins,
Sheetings,

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

White Shirts, Socks, &c.

In many lines of Goods we have Specialties in regard to price and style to which we shall again direct attention.

The inducements we offer to the public are

FRESH STOCK

And plenty of it; a straightforward method of conducting our business, in which no misrepresentation will be tolerated; polite attention to customers, and

PRICES THAT CANNOT BE UNDERSOLD.

Whatever anticipations may at any time be raised by our advertisements shall at all times be strictly fulfilled.

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FIRST STREET,

BETWEEN WASHINGTON and ALDER.

WANTS.

WANTED.

AN AGENT TO SOLICIT ORDERS FOR A Photographic Copying Co. First Class chance for an active man. Address VICTOR CRAIG, 6?8 Market street, San Francisco. m17d4t

WANTED.

A PARTNER TO BUILD A FLOURING MILL at Cottage Grove, Lane county, Oregon, as I have the machinery here for a two run Mill 3-foot and 4-foot Burrs; one 30½ and one 23 inch Leffel Water Wheel and good water power, and the lumber to build with. For particulars address P. M. BENNETT, Cottage Grove, Lane county, Oregon. m17d6t

WANTED.

PARTIES HAVING HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE to sell, will find it to their interest to address Lock Box 457 P. O., Portland.

AGENTS. 12 ELEGANT OIL CHROMOS, size 9x11, by mail post paid for $1.00. Send address for Illustrated Catalogue. W. MUNSON, Man'r, 124 Post street, San Francisco. d12d&w1y

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ROOMS FOR RENT.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, WITH OR without board, with privilege of bath included. Inquire at Park row, Washington street, No. 2. fe27d1m

TO RENT.

FIRST CLASS ROOMS TO RENT BY THE DAY or week, with the accommodation of the Parlors. Cor. Front and 4th sts.

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THE "EAST PORTLAND HOTEL" ON THE Avenue, East Portland. Also the building formerly used as the R. R. Hospital, on the bluff above the depot grounds, East Portland; can be made a commodious Boarding House, and is now a comfortable dwelling. Apply at corner Fourth and Stark streets, Portland. m17d2w

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FOR SALE OR RENT.

A PIECE OF LAND SITUATED FIVE MILES from Portland, on a good road, containing 40 acres, 20 acres of which is Beaverdam in the finest cultivation for gardening purposes, and would make a good Milk and Butter Ranch. Terms easy. Inquire of WM. BARNES, Central Market Restaurant. mh20[illegible]

FOR SALE,

IN WHOLE OR IN PARTS, A TRACT OF 350 acres, including the Wincoast Landing and surrounding the warehouse, on the west side of the Willamette, half-way from Portland to Salem. Address, HON. S. BRUTSCHER, Newberg, Yamhill county, or see him at his residence, near the Landing. mh19d1m

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

HOMESTEAD FOR SALE, OR IN EXCHANGE for City Property. Two Acres, a good House, Orchard and other improvements, situate on rising ground, in a healthy location, close to Portland, on the south. Apply to X. Y., Postoffice Box 784, Portland, Oregon. m8d1m

FOR SALE.

ONE HALF INTEREST IN A STOVE AND TIN Store, in one of the liveliest towns in Oregon. Small capital required. For particulars inquire of HEXTER & MAY, Portland, Oregon. [illegible]

FISHING BOAT FOR SALE.

LENGTH, 26ft.; BEAM, 6ft. 4in.; DEPTH, 20 in. Oak Frames and Spruce Plank. Apply to FRANCIS BERRY, E street, between Park and Eighth. m3d2w

FOR SALE.

40000 BUSHELS OF THE BEST CHARcoal, which I will sell at the lowest market price. The coal will be delivered or sold on the premises. Address or call on P. WOLFF, St. John's, or C. M. ROHR, Franklin Market.
P.S.—WOOD FOR SALE, delivered anywhere along the river. fe28d1m

FOR SALE.

THE FURNITURE AND BUSINESS OF THE St. Charles Hotel, Albany, Oregon. Reason for selling, poor health. Apply to J. K. MORRISON, Albany, Ogn.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

IN LEWIS COUNTY, W. T., ON STORE BUILDing, Lot and Stock of Goods, Lay Shed and Stock in Warehouse, at Chehalis Station, N. P. R. R., County Seat of Lewis county. [illegible] acres of good Wild Bottom Land on Cowlitz river, very light growth of timber. 120 acres of land 1½ mile north of Chehalis Station. For particulars and terms enquire of Messrs. L. GOLDSMITH & CO., Portland, Ogn, or GEO. J. HOGUE, Cowlitz Landing, Lewis Co., W. T.

FOR SALE.

One of the Best Bargains ever Offered in Oregon.

A SPLENDID SHEEP AND GOAT RANCH, consisting of 2,372 acres of land, most of which is open grazing land. It is well watered by several living springs; 5?? acres of the farm is improved or meadow lands, the balance hill and pasture lands. On the ranch there are three good Houses, Barns, Sheep Sheds, &c. There is about three acres of good Orchard, [illegible] acres of [illegible] Beaver dam land.
This valuable property for sale at [illegible] per acre if disposed of soon, time given upon part of purchase price if buyer desires. This ranch is about 25 miles from Portland. Apply to
ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD,
mh9d1m Portland, Oregon.

SAN JUAN COUNTY, W. T.

Farms and Sheep Runs

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS AGENT FOR THE Sale or Lease of several valuable FARMS and SHEEP RUNS, situated on San Juan and Orcas Islands. Address
E. D. WALBASS,
[illegible] San Juan Island, W. T.

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A large assortment of Groceries, Furniture and Merchandise on hand at private sale.
Agents for Geo. Hughes' Fireworks.
Cash advances made upon Consignments.
We purchase the Furniture of parties declining housekeeping.

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Ex ship "Devenby," from Honolulu.

121 kegs UNION MILLS No. 1.
100 " " " " 1½.
75 " T. HUGHES No. 1.
50 " T. HUGHES No. 1 A.
50 bbls. MOLASSES.
7000 lbs. RICE, A. I.
50 bags COFFEE.

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This Hospital is in a high and healthful place, in the northwestern part of the city of Portland, and commands a beautiful view of the valley and mountains. It has convenient bath rooms, lavatories and closets, and the building is well supplied with hot and cold water. It employs skillful and attentive male and female nurses, and has superior accommodations, in the women's ward, and in private rooms for lying-in patients.

This is the MARINE HOSPITAL for Oregon. United States seamen entitled to hospital treatment will apply to Dr. C. C. Strong, Dekum's Building, First and Washington sts., or at his residence, Salmon street, near Fourth.
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FOOT OF YAMHILL STREET, AT

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A FARMER RECENTLY ARRIVED, WISHES to rent a FARM. Answers, stating terms, location, size of farm, amount of arable land, etc., etc., direct to "FARMER," care of Messrs. T. Cunningham & Co., Portland. m13d2w

THE TAX ROLL OF EAST PORTLAND SCHOOL District No. 21 will be placed in the hands of the Sheriff for collection on the 19th day of March, 1877. All delinquents will take due notice.
CLAUDE THAYER, School Clerk.
Office—East Portland, on I street, bet. Third and Fourth. mh6d2w2p

NOTICE.

MR. WM. A. GIBSON IS AUTHORIZED to sign our firm name per procuration.
JAMES LAIDLAW & CO.
Portland, 25th January, 1877.

[illegible] Oregonian.

[illegible] MARCH 21, 1877.

CITY.

[illegible] Lost.—Mr. Alex. Hamil[illegible] known street contractor, had the [illegible] a very highly prized and [illegible] few days since. Some weeks [illegible] purchased, at administra[illegible] splendid span of gray horses [illegible] Mr. R. Nichells, who died [illegible] Portland of smallpox. [illegible] kept in a vacant lot near Mr. [illegible] when not employed in [illegible] streets. A few days since [illegible] in a playful mood, jumped [illegible] While Mr. Hamilton [illegible] to drive the truants back [illegible] of them started to run away. [illegible] up on the sidewalk, in [illegible] Mr. Hamilton, and slip[illegible] In some unexplainable [illegible] broke one of its legs [illegible] bone being so badly fractured [illegible] limp as a rag. As the [illegible] disabled for life Mr. Ham[illegible] necessary to kill it. The ani[illegible] to be worth $200.

[illegible]—The *Churchman* says: [illegible] for domestic missions in [illegible] in response to the appeal of [illegible] the pastoral of the bishop, [illegible] reported, as follows: Trin[illegible] Portland, $100; St. Stephen's [illegible] $31 25; St. David's Church, [illegible] St. Paul's Church, Oregon [illegible] Church, Salem, $16; St. [illegible] Albany, $15; Good Samari[illegible] $5; St. Mary's, Eugene [illegible] McMinnville, $3 25; St. [illegible] St. Paul's Walla Walla, [illegible] Grande, $20; St. Luke's, [illegible] John's Church, Olympia, [illegible] Tacoma, $4; Trinity [illegible] St. Stephen's Church, [illegible] St. Paul's Church, Port [illegible] Timothy's Chapel, Gram[illegible] and Pendleton, $10;

[illegible]—Canby Lodge I. O. G. [illegible] 17, 1877, at Canby, by [illegible] deputy, elected and in[illegible] officers: P. R. Eves, W. [illegible] R. H. S.; Louisa Brad[illegible] Carrie Reed, W. V. T.; C. [illegible] Gourley, W. A. S.; [illegible] Jacob Bauer, W. T.; [illegible] Martha Brackette, W. [illegible] I. G.; J. C. Wolgamot, O. [illegible] J. C. Bradley, P. W. C. [illegible] D. Thirty-four mem[illegible] at 2 o'clock, P. M., in

[illegible]—From the records of the [illegible] of Observation, Portland, [illegible] 1877:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
[illegible]	[illegible]	29 910	29 780
[illegible]	[illegible]	29 9.3	29 768
[illegible]	[illegible]	61°	[illegible]
[illegible]	100	50	80
	0	0	0
	0	0	0
	Fair.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.
			64°
			42°

[illegible]—Two sailors leaped [illegible] the ship *Prussia* lying at [illegible] Adams a few days ago, de[illegible] After swimming a shor[illegible] sank and perished. The [illegible] shared a similar fate but for [illegible] He was picked up and was [illegible] vessel. He was so anxious [illegible] minutes before. The body [illegible] seaman had not been recov[illegible]

[illegible] following gentlemen [illegible] jurors in the U. S. district [illegible] yesterday: Elisha [illegible] D. F. Harrington, [illegible] J. F. Backensto, [illegible] H. Lane, W. H. [illegible] J. L. [illegible] Joe. R. Wiley, [illegible] Wm. Cassiday.

[illegible] The Tennessee Jubilee [illegible] excellent success during [illegible] tour up the valley. Last [illegible] performed at Junction City, [illegible] The singers will appear at [illegible] Friday evening at East Portland, [illegible] afternoon and night at New [illegible]

[illegible] NOTES.

[illegible] the river.

[illegible] nights.

[illegible] this evening.

[illegible] clad in emerald.

[illegible] question waxeth warm.

[illegible] will probably be the next [illegible]

[illegible] G. W. C. T., was in the city [illegible]

[illegible] manager of the Jubilee [illegible] the city again.

[illegible] the steamer *Elder* arrived here [illegible] number of passengers and a full [illegible]

[illegible] it is said, will remove to [illegible] where he contemplates enter[illegible]

[illegible] alias Ladd, alias Smiley, and alias [illegible] is out of luck again. See dis[illegible] particulars.

[illegible] that Mr. Frank E. Hodgkin is a [illegible] clerk of the Salem school dis[illegible] is a worthy man.

[illegible] is on a roaring old [illegible] and to be taken care of [illegible] Edward and Burke.

[illegible] Telegraph Company [illegible] another line between [illegible] San Francisco this season.

[illegible] that fully 1,000 men will ar[illegible] in the course of a month or six [illegible] at the various fisheries along [illegible] Columbia.

[illegible] of the late Marcus M. Spaulding [illegible] yesterday afternoon. It was nu[illegible] In respect to the memory [illegible] Market was closed yesterday.

[illegible] tender *Shubrick* is expected [illegible] at Astoria for the purpose of [illegible] of inspection, and to make [illegible] the buoyage of the Lower Colum[illegible]

[illegible] OF PROGRAMME.

[illegible] received by the joint card from [illegible] Directors and the Manager of [illegible] concerts, the two perform[illegible] have been given for the [illegible] Fund have been with[illegible] Madame Urso gives a farewell [illegible] evening instead, at the [illegible] admission. The exact circum[illegible] change is due has not [illegible] but we have no doubt that [illegible] sufficient to justify it, and the [illegible] to be a perfectly amicable [illegible] meet for the farewell perform[illegible] opened at Gray's Music Store this [illegible] those who desire it may have [illegible] refunded; those who prefer it [illegible] the seats already engaged, receiv[illegible] due them from the treasurer.

[illegible] NOTICES.

[illegible] Lewis, of the "White House," [illegible] and brings with him a large and [illegible] of Dress and Millinery Goods, [illegible] of which is made in another [illegible] The firm offer special inducements [illegible] and in fact to all desiring goods [illegible] We are sure the ladies will be [illegible] of the new arrivals.

[illegible] special attention to the new firm of [illegible] Wadhams & H. A. Elliott, whose [illegible] appears elsewhere. W. K. Lev[illegible] & Co. have disposed of their entire [illegible] groceries, also the good will as whole[illegible] and forwarding and commission [illegible] to Messrs. Wadhams & Elliott. [illegible] business integrity and enterprise [illegible] are, too, well known in this [illegible] throughout the State to require com[illegible] names constituting the firm [illegible] guarantee.

[illegible] Co. have a large shipment of [illegible] and Novelties on the in[illegible] direct from New York.

[illegible] L. Stone's.

NOTES FROM ALBANY.

Our regular correspondent, sends the following items under date of 20th inst:

District court adjourned last Saturday.

The weather is beautiful and spring like.

Mr. Petty was badly cut by some one Saturday last.

The hotels have been very much crowded for the past week.

The new tower of the M. E. church to be finished next week.

The drainage of the city is attracting some attention at this time.

The children attended the matinee yesterday in great numbers.

The improvements on the Baptist Church are progressing rapidly.

The young man sentenced last week, goes to the penitentiary to-day.

Mrs. Walker died in this place Sabbath morning last, aged 17 years.

It is rumored that there will be an entertainment at the college this week.

The Jubilee Singers took part in the services in the M. E. church last Sabbath evening.

Turner & Brother have their new meat market on Main street almost completed.

Mr. Jas. Elkins takes a position in the Grange Store in a few weeks, so it is rumored.

A number of parties are expecting to leave this place soon for the mountains in search of gold.

I hear that Mr. Royal expects to take up his residence in Eastern Washington Territory soon.

Rev. Mr. Banks, of Corvallis, preached morning and evening in this city on last Sabbath.

Quite an effort is being made to secure the pardon of the young man who was sentenced to the penitentiary last week.

The ladies' entertainment at the Opera House on Friday evening last was a financial success. The receipts amounted to $150.

It is to be hoped that the City Fathers will have our streets lighted soon, as two strangers fell into one of the ditches at the same time, and place on Saturday night last. They may have had a few drams previously.

NEW BOOKS.

The following new books have just been received and added to the Portland Library:

Countess of Gisela; from the German of E. Marlitt; translated by Mrs. A. L. Wister.

Forest Glen Series; by Rev. Elijah Kellogg. The Mission of Black Rifle.

Lessons from Nature as Manifested in Mind and Matter; by St. George Mivart, Ph. D., F. R. S.

History of Modern English Law; by Sir Roland Knyvet, Wilson Bart.

Gold and Debt, an American Hand Book of Finance, with over eighty tables and diagrams illustrative of the following subjects: the dollar and other coins; paper money in the United States and Europe; suspensions of specie payments; the era of gold; values of the precious metals; the era of debt; the rise and fall of prices, also a digest of the monetary laws of the United States, by W. L. Fawcett.

Words, their use and abuse, by William Matthews, LL. D.

Snip and Whip, and some other boys, by Elizabeth A. Davis, illustrated.

The Young Trail Hunters or the Wild Riders of the Plains. The veritable adventures of Hal Hyde and Ned Brown on their journey across the great plains of the Southwest, by Samuel Woodworth Cozzens, illustrated.

The History of Napoleon the First, by P. Laufrey, vol. 3.

The Poultry Yard and Market or Practical Treatise on Gallinoculture, by Prof. A. Corbett, inventor of the apparatus for hatching and raising poultry by means of horse manure, for which he received gold and silver medals.

The History of the Norman Conquest of England, its causes and its results, by Edward A. Freeman, M. A., Hon. D. C. L., vol. 5. The effects of the Norman Conquest.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

The following cases in Police Court were disposed of yesterday morning:

Wm. Wilson; drunk; fined $10; committed for five days.

Mrs. Smallden; drunk and disorderly; fined $10; paid.

J. D. Jones; drunk and disorderly; fined $10; sent below for five days.

John Doe; lying drunk on the streets; fined $10; paid, and discharged.

James Reed; drunk and disorderly; fined $5, and sent below for three days.

Wm. Delashmutt; drunk and disorderly; fined $10; committed for five days.

James Munro; drunk and disorderly; fined $5; committed in default of payment.

F. W. Brooks; drunk and disorderly (two charges); fined $10 on each charge; paid.

Wm. King; drunk and disorderly; fined $5; defendant couldn't come to the scratch, and went down among congenial spirits for three days.

Ah Jim was examined on a charge of larceny and held to appear before the grand jury in the sum of $200. In default of bonds, defendant was committed to jail.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, March 20, 1877.

Grand jury called and John Donnerberg and S. S. Pape were excused for the term.

Ordered that the marshal select and summon six persons as talesmen, to appear in this court at 11 o'clock A. M. this day, to serve as grand jurors.

Grand jury empanneled and sworn, and David Powell appointed foreman, and after the charge of the court, retired under charge of a bailiff.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

W. H. Adams vs Stitzel, Harbaugh, Carter and Watkins; confirmation of sale.

Corbitt & Macleay vs Salem Gas Co.; cause continued for the term.

John Wallace, a native of Great Britain, admitted to citizenship.

W. P. Doland, et al., vs J. R. Brigham, et al.; cause argued and submitted.

Northrup & Thompson vs The *Pilot*; on trial; argued and submitted.

Annie Eliza Whittle vs Frank Whittle; submitted without argument.

MILITARY NOTES.

The chief commissary of subsistence is authorized to purchase in open market, at the lowest obtainable rates, 1,000 pounds potatoes, for shipment to Fort Stevens, Oregon.

A general court martial will convene at Fort Lapwai, I. T., Monday, March 26, 1877. The following is the detail for the court: Captain David Perry, 1st Cavalry; Captain Jenks A. Fitzgerald, assistant surgeon; First Lieutenant Edward R. Theller, 21st Infantry; First Lieutenant Peter S. Bomus, 1st Cavalry; Second Lieutenant Robert H. Fletcher, 21st Infantry; Captain Harry M. Smith, 21st Infantry, judge advocate of the court.

Hickory nuts, direct from Quincy, Illinois, San Francisco candies and bananas, at S. L. Stone's.

Two button French kid gloves for $1 at Mrs. Chas. Tichnor's.

For ladies' corsets at low prices go to the Emporium of Fashion.

The pleasant weather has had a tendency to bring out everybody to Barnes' Central Market.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. Number of English papers on file, including the London *Daily Shipping and Mercantile Gazette*.

Cosmetic gloves for making the hands soft, white and beautiful; to be worn at night. Sent to any address on receipt of $2 50; mention size of glove usually worn. Ladies can have old gloves prepared for $1. Address Mrs. S. Lord, First street, next door to Oak, Portland.

CORN REMEDY.

Dr. Halpruner's Patent Salve, for the cure of CORNS, BUNIONS, &c., is for sale by all druggists.

The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accomplished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

THE CAMP CREEK MINES.

Yesterday we were called on by Messrs. D. D. Orton and George M. White, the former just from the Camp Creek country. Mr. Orton gave us much valuable information regarding recent discoveries which have been made there, and the facts and figures as derived from Richard Hurley's assays. George White is one of the original discoverers of the Camp Creek mines and has a thorough practical knowledge of that entire section and every ledge thus far located in the district.

GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATION.

The celebrated Silver Mud Springs are located in Wasco county, 140 miles south of The Dalles, in a sterile valley running east and west, bounded on the south by low rolling hills, and on the north by a chain of mountains timbered with fir and other woods indigenous to the country. From these springs in a southerly direction ledges have been traced for nearly two miles by means of shafts sunk on them every fifteen hundred feet. The ledges are called the Green Horn, the Chia-du-Wan, the Bashful Youth and the Live Yankee. From recent explorations these ledges are pronounced

TRUE FISSURE VEINS,

Having well-defined walls, broken only by the usual dips, spurs and angles. The Green Horn has been pretty fairly prospected by Mr. Weddell by means of shafts, and one unbroken edge traced for over one mile and a half. From assays of this ledge at different points, Mr. Hurley has derived returns of from $6,000 to $57 to the ton, the latter being from the poorest grade of ore, and embracing both gold and silver. The Chia-du-Wan and Live Yankee ledges converge at the mud holes first discovered, and there a shaft has been sunk to the depth of 70 feet. From this shaft ore has been taken which assays from $6,000 to $12,000 per ton. The ore is of a class easily worked, and contains no minerals of a refractory nature; in fact, there is only one point in his entire region where a particle of arsenic is to be found, and that is in Horse Heaven, a section well known to many stock-raisers in central Oregon. From this shaft across the little valley to the range of mountains spoken of above, numerous holes have been sunk. These prospect holes have a uniform depth of about 47 feet. The first seven feet is through loam, and then 40 feet, more is through decomposed quartz, when a solid body of quartz is met. This is the

GENERAL FORMATION

Of the entire valley, and has been traced into the mountains on the north, where a well defined ledge has been developed. This range has not been prospected to the northward, and it is anticipated that valuable ledges will be found there this spring and summer. Fir timber is to be had in abundance for building purposes, and timbering tunnels and adits, and owing to that fact, and the country being mountainous, the opportunities for developing the true mineral wealth of the country will, we think, first be seized upon in these mountains; but Messrs. Orton and White are sanguine that on the other side of the valley they have the real bonanza, and are willing to accept it as their financial destiny and seek no further. But little work, comparatively, has been done on these discoveries, that is work which develops their true character, and it will be several weeks yet before enough will have been accomplished, and the lodes laid bare in such permanent manner, that their

INDISPUTABLE RICHNESS

Will be apparent to all. However, but a few months and the hardy prospector will have solved the question and will prove whether we have within our own State silver mines which will either overshadow in richness the famous mines of Peru and Mexico, and even the later bonanzas of the Comstock, or pass Camp Creek into history as one among the many wild and unstable mining hiiks which semi-occasionally visit this coast. In justice to the gentlemen mentioned in this article, we will say they have no shares to dispose of, and give only an unvarnished statement of the facts as they are proven, and care not whether they are taken for truth or romance, so long as they they themselves are satisfied of the buried wealth they have in their silver mud.

PASSENGERS.

The steamship *City of Panama* sailed from San Francisco yesterday for Victoria and Sound ports. She brings the following passengers:

Portland—G. H. Dell, E. C. Lakin, Prof. C. C. Taylor and wife, Geo. E. Bayley, Geo. F. Tilbury, and 18 in the steerage.

Victoria—G. Rousseau, B. Lats, H. Berryman, L. Busher, A. G. L. Trew, Mrs. Huston, R. E. Jackson and wife, Miss Huston, W. W. Bole, T. R. Puttulo, Wm. McCall, and 50 in the steerage.

Port Townsend—Mrs. E. Cays, Miss H. Cays, Miss L. Cays, Miss E. Cays, L. and E. Cays, and 6 in the steerage.

Seattle—Wm. Boyd, A. D. Blowers, John Shear, and 54 in the steerage.

Tacoma—W. Dumars, and 8 in the steerage.

Olympia—N. H. Owings, wife and child, Andrew Howarton.

THE SALEM PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

SALEM, March 16, 1877.

HON. E. STRONG—*Dear Sir*: The undersigned, citizens of School District No. 24, earnestly request you to become a candidate for Director at the next annual school meeting of the district.

Wm. Cunningham, W. B. Rodman, George Kahler, D. L. Riggs, Robert C. Judson, James Rennie, I. J. Hunter, J. Dancy, C. Dau, James Godfrey, L. J. Bailey, H. Javens, F. M. Rice, H. S. Jory, Hugh P. Owens, C. S. Kightlinger, L. M. Baker, E. H. Piper, M. J. Rice, John Minto, H. F. Smith, John C. Booth, William Armstrong.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Henry Warren, of McMinnville, is on a business visit to this city.

Maxwell Ramsby, Esq., Assessor of Clackamas county, is in this city visiting Portlanders who have property in Clackamas.

We acknowledge a pleasant call last evening from Mr. L. G. Jackson, of the Eugene City *Guard*. Mr. Jackson will return home to-day.

FOUND.—The place to get first-class upholstery at small cost,—Birmingham's, 156 First street.

Masquerade suits and trimmings, at J. Harris & Son's.

The beautiful "form" of woman is her natural crown of glory. To retain that beauty, wear Dr. Warner's Health Corset.

He was sitting silently by her side, thinking of something to say. Finally he remarked: "How pleasant it is; spring has come." Thereupon the young lady extended her hand and said in a sympathetic tone: "Go, buy a new suit at Beck & Waldman's."

The Singer Manufacturing Co. report their sales for the year 1876 at 262,316 Machines, being an excess of 12,46 machines over their sales of 1875.

For good kid gauntlets at $1 a pair, go to the Emporium of Fashion.

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Mrs. B. A. Owens, M. D., Office and residence east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

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THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

PORTLAND, March 20, 1877.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

One would infer from reading Mr. Morgan's reply to "Voter," that we had had no public schools worth a "continental," no teachers of ability, no system that comprehended efficiency, until Ladd, Ainsworth and himself became directors, with Mr. King as superintendent. What particular ability the two first named gentlemen brought into this branch of the public service, when it is taken into consideration that one was incapacitated through serious illness, and the other prevented from a complete fulfillment of his duties through pressing and important business engagements, may well be a question at this time. Indeed, it has been generally supposed that from the inability of the two gentlemen named to attend to their duties as directors, came the necessity of appointing Mr. King as superintendent of the schools in this district, an office by the way not authorized by any color of law. The public schools of this city have always had an excellent reputation. The teachers have been able and efficient. There never has been any trouble on this account. But the *meddlesomeness* and incapacity of directors, and the dishonesty of clerks have been the fruitful source of a great deal of complaint and trouble. The taxpayers and the friends of the public school system have been more concerned about the extravagant expenditure and peculation of the school money, and the unjustifiable interference with able and popular teachers—whereby their services have been wholly lost to us in some instances, and materially impaired in others—than entertaining any distrust about the good conduct of the schools and the general efficiency of the teachers. The schools had better be severely let alone, each in charge of a competent principal, than to be disturbed and annoyed through the officiousness of an illegal, or even capable superintendent, and save the unnecessary expenditure of one hundred and fifty dollars, or any other sum per month. With these views I shall vote with a great deal of satisfaction for Mr. Killin, being well assured that he does not go much on the idea of "a fifth wheel to a coach," and knowing that he is an ardent friend of our present school system.

ANOTHER VOTER.

A REPLY TO "VOTER."

PORTLAND, March 20, 1877.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

"Voter," in his communication published in your columns on the 16th inst. indulges himself in imputations and insinuations, and feebly attempts to criticise the city superintendent and the general management of the public schools of this city. As his communication was logically answered in your yesterday's issue, and his puerile insinuations and *real* promptings were exposed, there is very little left for me to do. "Voter" says: "In the first place, it seems to me an exceedingly improper mode of enforcing obedience to an order to threaten to have teachers' salaries reduced. If the superintendent *does* control the action of the board of directors, it is very certainly unbecoming in him to boast of it to the teachers." "Teachers are human, and should be treated as men and women! But is it business-like to levy an assessment of 25 cents each upon the teachers for the avowed purpose of blacking the school room stoves?"

There is not the shadow of truth in the imputation mentioned.

While the learned "Voter" speaks disparagingly of my qualifications, the members of the Honorable State Board of Education of Oregon, the would-be critic to the contrary notwithstanding, say—in my Life Diploma—that the undersigned "has the requisite learning and experience as a Teacher to entitle him to his testimonial at our hands."

Since "Voter" has been deeply interested, during the past six weeks in educational matters and in keeping up the schools, as he says, "to their present high standard," it was certainly very disrespectful, on the part of the State Board, not to consult him in this little matter. Such treatment merits the condemnation of all good citizens. Respectfully,

S. W. KING.

Encouragement for the Feeble.

Debility, whether it be inherent, or caused by overtaxed strength, or protracted illness, has a most depressing influence upon the mind, breeding an abject melancholy nearly akin to despair, and enforcing the abandonment of cherished projects and high hopes. Happily, the enfeebled system, even in extreme cases, is susceptible of invigoration. It is proved by incontrovertible evidence that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is an unfailing strengthener of the weak, and that in addition to vitalizing the physical organization, it establishes regularity among those organs upon whose efficient discharge of the duties imposed on them by nature, continued vigor and health depend. Thousands of instances might be cited to show the regenerating influence of this healthgiving agent in cases of debility, liver disease, dyspepsia, nervous ailments, constipation, intermittent fever, urinary and uterine troubles, gout and rheumatism, and other maladies.

The Cyrus Noble Whisky agents are the only ones not complaining of business stagnation and dull times, while saloons in Portland vending it are all prosperous. The reason is obvious.—ED.

The Gates of Pearl,

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NOTICE.

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IY. DOBINSON, K. of R. and S. [illegible]

Samaritan Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7½ o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of [illegible] N. G.

READER,

Have you risen from your bed after a short sleep to find yourself nearly suffocated with Catarrhal matter in your nose, head and throat? Have you noticed what a depressing influence it exercises on the mind, blunting its faculties, besides enervating the body as well? How difficult to rid the head of this foul matter all can testify who are afflicted with Catarrh. How difficult to protect the system against its further progress towards the lungs and bronchial tubes, all physicians can testify. It is a terrible disease, and cries out for relief. To be freed from the danger of suffocation while lying down; to breathe freely, sleep soundly and undisturbed; to know that no poisonous, putrid matter defiles the breath and undermines the system; to know that the body does not, through its veins and arteries, carry the poison that is sure to destroy, is indeed a blessing. To purchase immunity from such a fate should be the object of all afflicted. But those who have tried many remedies and physicians despair of relief or cure. They become incredulous. With such the long array of testimonials from our best citizens, physicians and druggists in favor of

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School Election Notice.

THE LEGAL VOTERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 1, Multnomah county, Oregon, are hereby notified that the annual election for said district will be held at the corner of Third and Alder streets on Monday, April 2, 1877, for the purpose of electing one Director to serve for three years, and one Clerk to serve for one year.

Polls will be open from 2 to 6 o'clock P. M.

There will be an annual meeting of the Taxpayers held at the Central School Building on Monday, April 9, 1877, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of hearing the report of the Board of Directors and Clerk, and also for the purpose of levying a tax for the support of the Schools for the ensuing year. Also for the purpose of levying a tax to build a new school building, or for building an addition to one of the present school buildings, and for other purposes required, and for the transaction of any other business deemed necessary.

"Any male person shall be entitled to vote at a school meeting who is twenty-one years of age, and has resided in the district thirty days immediately preceding the meeting, and who has property in the district subject to assessment and taxation."

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[illegible] Warehouse and [illegible]

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Resolved, That a meeting of the stockholders of this Company, The Portland Warehouse Company, of [illegible] Oregon & California [illegible] of Portland, on Wednesday [illegible] 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M. [illegible] the property [illegible] solution of this corporation, the [illegible] business, disposing of its property and [illegible] of its capital stock.

Therefore, all Stockholders [illegible] in The Portland Warehouse [illegible] are hereby notified and requested [illegible] said Stockholders' meeting on the [illegible] March, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of attending to the transaction of the business specified in the foregoing resolution.

By order of the Board of Directors,
[illegible]
GEORGE W. WEIDLER, President.
Portland, Oregon, March 5, 1877. [illegible]

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HOW THE CITIZENS OF SEATTLE AND PUGET SOUND PORTS CELEBRATED THE DAY.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

The annual return of this great day so near and dear to the heart of every true son of Ireland, has been celebrated in a manner long to be remembered by every Irishman, and every friend of Ireland now living in Seattle. For the first time on Puget Sound witnessed a grand celebration of St. Patrick's [illegible]

AT SEATTLE.

Citizens, men, women and children, vied with each other in demonstrations befitting the occasion. At early dawn hundreds were [illegible] residents of Seattle, and hundreds [illegible] per s and from the [illegible] at Renton, all enjoying the dis[illegible]

[illegible] FLAG AND GREEN FLAG OF IRELAND, together flung out to the breeze from [illegible] of the masts of shipping in the harbor, liberty poles and from housetops [illegible]. The chief attraction was a [illegible] flag, 24 by 46 feet, stretched [illegible] to Peterson's art gallery [illegible] principal street. People of all [illegible] viewed the flag with curious de[illegible] the first time that such a flag was [illegible] on the Sound, having upon it [illegible]. The peculiar motto of the [illegible], the [illegible] of Erin, the [illegible] and the Sunburst, and [illegible] the words

"ERIN GO BRAGH"—

[illegible]. From every quarter came [illegible] meant! [illegible] gathered up [illegible] old Ireland, and [illegible] St. Patrick drove the frogs" [illegible] many a toast was given in [illegible] of the Emerald Isle. At [illegible]

[illegible] balcony fronting [illegible] entertained the [illegible] the favorite Irish [illegible] into the hall we [illegible] the walls so handsomely [illegible] with evergreens, [illegible] flags, and escutch[illegible] of every State [illegible]. The beautiful [illegible] to the [illegible] the arch [illegible] "Erin go Bragh," could [illegible] of the hall was the [illegible] the historical agent. One [illegible] was donated by [illegible]

[illegible] among the sight [illegible] was [illegible] the Horse [illegible] Julius Dickens, editor [illegible] band took po[illegible] Councilman [illegible] of the day. And [illegible] an hon[illegible] President [illegible] of the day to a [illegible]

[illegible] Seattle coal mines [illegible] voice, stepped [illegible] ever assembled in [illegible] beautifully "Wearing [illegible] introduced the orator, [illegible] as "Jesus" is [illegible] the Doctor was received [illegible] delivered a splendid ora[illegible]

[illegible] of the oration, which was [illegible] and roundly [illegible] most beautifully [illegible] to an encore, [illegible] after which, by urgent [illegible] the thrilling Irish [illegible]

[illegible] heard, even sur[illegible] rendering of the same, on a [illegible] now lingered to congratulate [illegible] than one Irishman [illegible] of my native land."

THE BALL.

[illegible] the same hall was a grand [illegible] present, and a [illegible] and everything [illegible] at the Seddie [illegible] of the day and [illegible] press and those [illegible] from abroad, by the [illegible] and occasion. Here are [illegible] of Brennan gave [illegible] handsome sand[illegible]

[illegible] was responded to [illegible] by the re[illegible] the genial Turner, [illegible] stronger than "root [illegible]

[illegible] the Mediterranean of the [illegible] was responded to by one of the [illegible] sons now resident [illegible] Julius Dickens, of Steila[illegible]

[illegible] Daniel O'Connell," to [illegible] Tom Berry responded [illegible] and patriotic style.

[illegible] of Puget Sound," to [illegible] the short-hand re[illegible] of the Chicago *Daily* [illegible]

[illegible] America" was responded to [illegible] Ben. Murphy, in as fine [illegible] carried out the programme of [illegible]

[illegible] corks flew thick and fast; [illegible] and takes, and had Grattan, [illegible] present, he would have [illegible] dining in the olden time. [illegible] his elegant stories were a little [illegible] Dickens' foreign accent and [illegible], while the man of *Intelli* [illegible] then sent home a peculiar and [illegible] wit, and would seem for the [illegible] both the Merry-man and *Ex*[illegible]

[illegible] was a complete and happy [illegible] credit upon those who engi[illegible] the same, for it was an impromptu [illegible] beginning to end, especially so of [illegible] for the Doctor and no time to pre[illegible] account of the shortness of the time [illegible] oration.

LOOKOUT.

[illegible] J. S. C. Abott has been lying at the point of death for weeks, but [illegible] alive at last accounts. His first book [illegible] up from papers written for a Mater[illegible] Association at Worcester, Mass. It was [illegible] in Boston, and translated into [illegible] every European language. His Napo[illegible] a great success, and his history of the [illegible] War sold to the number of 400,000 copies. [illegible] of his juvenile books alone brought [illegible] a fortune. He has been well paid, but [illegible] a family of 10 children, and his in[illegible] have been often unfortunate.

[illegible] Philadelphia *Presbyterian* was not [illegible] with a lecture which Colonel Robert [illegible] gave in that city lately. "One would [illegible] thinking apparatus of this savan, [illegible] was made up of phosphates [illegible], materialistic, animalistic, and [illegible] are terms which would [illegible] of the eccentricities of [illegible]

PRESIDENT HAYES' CABINET.

The St. Paul *Pioneer Press* thus speaks of the President's cabinet:

It is a cabinet of statesmen and jurists, and is symmetrically representative, both of the elevation and breadth of Hayes' platform. Apart from the general considerations, and which, in any event, would have led a President like Hayes to call around him the best statesmanship of the country, it is evident that his cabinet has been selected with a special view to enhance the moral and political power of his administration in carrying out the two great immediate objects of his policy, viz: Governmental reform in the cotton States, and civil service reform throughout the whole country. To a great extent these two policies are one, or run in the same channel, for civil service reform is really one of the most important and efficacious means which can be employed to reorganize the elements of political society at the South, to put a stop to the war of races, and to bring about a friendly understanding between whites and blacks. When the United States government ceases to use its power and to employ its patronage to foster the jealousies and animosities of the blacks against the whites, and to keep ignorance and incompetence in office, the intelligent and tax-paying classes will readily and peacefully gravitate to their natural position as the trustees of public order and justice, and of all the material and moral interests of the commonwealth. When the United States government shall cease to use its powers to build up the Republican party or to keep Republican politicians in office and shall act upon the noble maxim laid down by Hayes in his inaugural: "He serves his party best who serves his country best," a maxim which underlies not only all civil service reform but all true statesmanship, it will have gone very far towards solving the Southern problem. But to carry out a policy so opposed to all the traditions, the spirit, prejudices and tendencies of parties, since parties degenerated into combinations of spoils hunters, it was necessary that Hayes should have a cabinet of great moral and intellectual strength in full sympathy with his own principles and purposes. Such a cabinet he has. It is made up of statesmen instead of politicians, and the machine politician has no place in it, a sufficient notice to the whole tribe that the spirit and methods of the machine politician are to be excluded from this administration.

The Singer Manufacturing Co. report their sales for the year 1876 at 262,316 Machines, being an excess of 12,464 machines over their sales of 1875.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 20, 1877.

Gold in New York, 104¾.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 95; selling 96.

Silver Coin—buying, 94; selling, 95.

Coin Exchange on New York 1 per cent. premium.

The monetary situation is unchanged from that described so often of late, an ample supply to meet the current demand, with some disposition to lower rates, but no actual depreciation at the principal moneyed institutions. The inquiry is better than at the beginning of the month, but there is not sufficient call for ready funds to materially diminish the loanable capital on hand. Since the trade in breadstuffs has been contracted into such small limits, the principal applications for financial accommodations come from those in wool exporting or fishing business, or those who are about to engage in improvements. From whatever source, such applications, if accompanied by securities of the proper character, are met with favor.

It is claimed by some that business is already showing marked signs of improvement, but the apparent activity is more of a preparatory character than otherwise. That an improvement is, however, probable, nearly all are willing to assert, and business men generally are sparing no effort to be ready to take advantage of it. The *Alta* of a late date, describing the condition of affairs in San Francisco, depicts just about the state of monetary and business matters here. It says there can be no excuse for lack of industry and enterprise so far as money is concerned, for there is ample supply to be had on approved security and at reasonable rates. The bank quotations for exchange and bullion are without change this week. Since the 1st instant, the price of gold has fluctuated between 104⅛ and 105¼, the former being the opening rate on the 2d, and the latter the opening rate to-day. It is not easy to reconcile this advance in gold with the peaceful solution of the presidential question, or to say whether any political significance should be attached to the same. It is possible, however, that the gold operators, who never fail to seize upon even the most unreasonable pretexts, may have taken advantage of certain political changes to gain a point. We cannot but think that the near future will see the business interests of this country put in a more satisfactory shape than has been the case for some time back.

English Crops and Markets.

LONDON, March 19.—The *Mark Lane Express*, in its review of the British corn trade for the week, says reports from the agricultural districts are not unanimous on the subject of improvement, some reporting satisfactory progress in out door work, and others inaction, owing to unsettled weather. There are only a few complaints regarding the aspect of the growing wheat plant, which, considering the weather, presents a very satisfactory appearance. Still, occasional reports of yellowness reach us. With few exceptions, the country markets have been poorly supplied with grain from farmers, who have been too much engaged with sowing to devote much time to threshing, and the provincial trade in English wheat is firmer than at Mark Lane. Receipts of wheat into London have again been light, and have consisted chiefly of Danzig and Indian descriptions. There have been no arrivals from Atlantic ports. Considerable firmness prevailed in trade, albeit transactions were not large, and some quantity of low class Indian wheat was taken off our market for the continent. Although business was unanimated a steady consumptive demand has been shown, and the depletion of granary stocks in London is going on with few arrivals at ports of call. The floating cargo trade has ruled steady for wheat, and prices for red and white descriptions have been maintained, while maize, owing to larger arrivals, has barely supported the former values.

Liverpool Breadstuffs Market.

LIVERPOOL, March 20.—Breadstuffs quiet and steady except for corn, which is dull at 23@23s 6d for new mixed Western. Receipts of wheat the past three days, 40,000 quarters; American, 36,000.

Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—Wool, dull; supply light. Colorado, washed, 20@28c; unwashed, 18@25c; extra and merino, pulled, 36@42c; No. 1 and super, pulled, 30@36c. Texas, fine and medium, 20@28c; coarse, 16@20c. California, fine and medium, 25@30c; coarse, 18@22c.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Geo. W. Elder, from San Francisco, arrived at 6 o'clock this evening. She will sail on the return trip next Saturday morning.

The steamship California is announced to sail for Sitka and way ports to-morrow evening.

The Br. ship Duart Bay hence, arrived at Cardiff on the 27th ult., via Queenstown.

The bark Arctic hence with a wheat cargo, arrived at Deal, Feb. 27th.

Wheat charters are now effected in San Francisco to Liverpool at £2 per ton.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Arrived—Br bark Tokata, Hongkong; Fr bark Leon, Guayaquil.
Sailed—Ship Grace Darling, Nanaimo; sh Dashing Wave, Tacoma; U. S. str Shubrick, Astoria; ship Chas. H. Marshall, Queenstown.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—The market is very quiet and average quotations nominal; Willamette Valley, $1 90@1 95; Walla Walla Valley, 1 85 per cental.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $6 00 ℔ bbl; good outside and country brands, $5 25@$5 50; fine and superfine, $4 75@5 00.

OATS—Choice, 60c; common, 55@57½.

POTATOES—Dull at 30@35c per bushel.

ONIONS—As to quality, $1 25@1 50 ℔ bushel.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $15@$16; loose, $14@$15.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in tins, 13@14c ℔ lb in kegs, 12@13c.

APPLES, RIPE—Quotable at 60@75c per box for shipping, according to quality.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4@5c; pitless, 12½@14c ℔ lb.

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 6c, kegs 7c ℔ lb.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 12½@20c ℔ lb; brine, 22@25c; roll, 30c; fancy dairy, 30@35c; cheese, quotable at 15@16c ℔ lb. Market dull.

BACON—Market well supplied at 12@13c for sides; 12@1 c for hams and 8½@10½c for shoulders.

CHICKENS—Market well supplied at $2 50@3 50 per dozen, according to quality.

EGGS—The market is dull at 16c per dozen.

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed, 4@5c ℔ lb; on foot, 2@2½c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c ℔ lb; mutton sheep $2@2 50 ℔ head.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 20@1 25; feed, $1 15@1 20 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran, $18@20 ℔ ton; shorts, $22 50 [illegible]; middlings, etc., $27 50@30; oil cake meal, $37 50.

[illegible]—Quotable at 17@18c.

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HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

SOL'S RESTAURANT!

The Best on the Pacific Coast.

FIRST STREET, NEAR STARK.

Whatever Delicacies the market affords will be found at this place. Ladies will find it the most convenient place to lunch while out shopping, where they will have the most polite attention.

Chateau Versailles.

FROM MONDAY, THE 26TH OF THIS MONTH I am prepared to take Boarders by the

MONTH, WEEK OR DAY.

Hoping to have successful patronage to induce me to provide the best the market affords, and my best ability to satisfy my customers, I am, Ladies and Gentlemen, your best Caterer,

FRANK FABRE,

Second street, bet. Morrison and Yamhill.

Private Rooms for Families, Ladies and Gentlemen.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL,

Cor. Front and Morrison Sts.,

GEORGE COGGAN,..........PROPRIETOR.

I have taken charge of the RESTAURANT connected with this popular Hotel, and it will hereafter be conducted in connection with the House. The DINING ROOM, located on the ground floor, is under the supervision of an experienced CATERER. The tables will be supplied with the best the market affords.

The ST. CHARLES being the only first class fire proof hotel in the city, SUPERIOR ACCOMMODATIONS will be given to guests, and rooms furnished single or in suits at prices ranging from $1 to $2.50 per day with board. FREE COACH runs between the Hotel and all trains and boats.

NORTON HOUSE,

Cor. C & First Sts., Portland.

This House is a Fire-Proof Brick, Newly Furnished with the best Spring Beds.

RATES OF BOARD:

Board and Lodging, per week...$5 to $6 00
Per day......................................$1 00
Single Meals..........25c | Lodging...25c to 50c

Free Coach to and from the House.

P. NORTON, Proprietor.
Formerly of the Portland Hotel.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE THE RESTAURANT connected with this House will be conducted by the Proprietors.

Nothing will be left undone to make guests feel at home, and by strict attention to business we hope to continue the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed on this popular House.

Free Coach to and from the House.

S. D. SMITH & THOMAS SMITH.
Proprietors.

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To FIRST STREET, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall,

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OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

THE BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS.

Private Rooms for Ladies, Gentlemen or Parties. Orders out of the house promptly attended to.

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Corner First and Main Streets.

THE UNDERSIGNED, FORMERLY OF THE Multnomah House, having repainted and refurnished the above named Hotel, is now ready to accommodate the public in a satisfactory manner at the following rates:

Board and Lodging, per week..............$5 50
Board per week.................................. 4 50
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The Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.

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PALACE HOTEL,

SAN FRANCISCO.

GRADUATED PRICES.

Rooms with Board $3 per Day
Rooms with Board $4 per Day
Rooms without Board $1 per Day
And Upwards.

Warren Leland, - Lessee.

SALOONS.

W. J. QUIRK,

IN CONNECTION WITH HIS SALOON ON OAK Street, Near First, has opened a New

Fine and Billiard Room

AT

NORTON HOUSE,

FIRST STREET, COR. OF C.

Superior Brands of Wines and Liquors Constantly on hand. For Family and Medicinal Purposes.

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ADAM [illegible]RN,

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Bavarian Beer Hall,

Under the Oro Fino Theater,

Will Set Hot Lunch from 1 to 1 o'clock Daily.

WEINHARD'S BEER ON TAP.

A COSY PLACE.

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THESE WELL KNOWN GENTLEMEN HAVE opened a most

Elegantly Furnished & Finished Saloon,

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Office—Rooms Nos. 1 and 3, Strowbridge Building, Corner First and Alder streets.
Residence, corner Seventh and College streets.

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Diseases of the EYE, EAR, THROAT and NOSE (particularly Chronic Nasal Catarrh) treated as specialties.

Prescriptions for the proper spectacles for relief of long, short or weak vision.

A fine stock of Artificial Eyes kept.

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MEERSCHAUM PIPES AND CIGAR HOLDERS. Warranted Cutlery. Lowest prices in town. Repairing done.

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NOTICE

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned under the firm name of Sterritt & Prang is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All bills due by the late firm will be paid by A. Sterritt, who alone is authorized to receive amount due. Dated this 15th March, A.D. 1877.

M. C. PRANG,
A. STERRITT.

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OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steamer

GEO. W. ELDER,

FRANCIS CONNOR........................Commander.

Will leave the Company's Wharf at Foot of F street for the above port on

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1877,
At 6 o'clock A. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner F and Front streets.

GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.

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Will leave the Oregon Steamship Company's Wharf, foot of F street, for the above ports on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1877,
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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO,
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THE FIRST CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP

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Passengers for San Francisco via Victoria will leave Portland per Steamer "Welcome," on

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THROUGH FARE, from Portland to San Francisco

Cabin..................$25 00 | Steerage.........$13 00

Tickets for sale at Office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets, up stairs.

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Transportation and Locks Co's

STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Central Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

FOR DAYTON—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 A. M.

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Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, near corner of Front and Washington streets.

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NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 1877, until further notice, the W. T. & L. Co. will carry Freight at

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UP FREIGHT:

PORTLAND TO SALEM..................$1 00 per Ton.
" " Points above Salem 1 50 " "

For SPECIAL RATES on DOWN FREIGHT apply at the Office of the Company.

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PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.

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For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skomockaway—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A. M.

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For rates apply on board, or to the Agent on the wharf.

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For freight or passage apply on board.

Towing done between 10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M., daily, except Sundays.

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FOR WHITENING AND BEAUTIFYING THE Complexion. The most effectual purifiers of the system searching out and removing all waste particles, leaving the skin new and fair as an infant's. Old and darkened complexions restored by them in a manner nearly miraculous; also of great benefit in Neuralgia, etc., and dealing powerfully with Scrofulous Affection, and the only certain remedy for Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver Complaints. Given under the direction of a skillful physician by

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The only never-failing remedy for Baldness, in all Stages; Falling of the Hair; Itching of the Scalp, and Dandruff. Requires only three applications a week. Is not gummy, but makes the hair soft and beautiful; does not discolor the scalp, but cleanses and whitens it.

Price Reduced. Send for circulars with testimonials.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION, ON TUESday the 10th day of April, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the town of Milwaukie, Oregon, the following parcels of land of the estate of Joseph Kellogg, bankrupt:

Eighty acres out of the S. W. corner of the donation claim of John D. Garrett, bounded as follows: Commencing at S. W. corner of said claim, running thence N. 38 chains; thence E. 21.05 chains; thence S. 38 chains; thence W. 21.05 chains to place of beginning. About 30 acres of this tract is beaver-dam, and the balance well timbered.

Also, lots 1 and 2, of section 1; and lots 1 and 2, of section 12, in T. 2 S., R. 1 E., containing about 82 84-100 acres, being a portion of the W. B. Cotton claim.

Also, a parcel commencing at S. E. cor. of the lot Whitcomb donation claim, in T. 2 S., R. 1 E., and 1 S., R. 1 E., running thence N. 1° W., 17 chains; thence N. 57° W., 20.10 chains; thence S. 45°, E. 3. 74 chains; thence S. 1°, E. 18.20 chains; thence N. 88½°, E 20 chains to place of beginning, containing about 74 acres. His dwelling-house and other improvements, with water-power and mill privileges.

Also, lots 7 and 8, in block 87, in town of Milwaukie.

Also, a tract of about 200 by 300 feet, south of and near Standard Mills in Milwaukie.

Also, lot 5, in block 4, in Oswego, with dwelling-house. All of said lands being in Clackamas county, Oregon.

Terms, cash in U. S. gold coin. Free from in[illegible]

JOHN CATLIN,

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Attorneys at Law,

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B. WHITTEN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Office—Opposite Court House,

Court Street, Dalles City, Oregon.

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No. 12 Dekum's Building.

F. A. CHENOWETH,

Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Oregon.

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OFFICE—FRONT STREET,

One door north of the American Exchange Hotel.

Information Free to Immigrants.

FARMERS, MANUFACTURERS, MILLMEN and others, are requested to assist the Society by notifying the Secretary when they need Laborers, Lumbermen, Mechanics or Clerks.

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The Society has the following REAL ESTATE in its hands for Sale:

323 Acres

In Yamhill county, 18 miles from McMinnville; 150 acres under cultivation and 173 acres of good pasturage. The farm has good running water and excellent springs; also timber enough for practical purposes, a rolling surface and good drainage. There are good neighbors in the vicinity.

Price $20 per acre. Terms one-half cash, balance on long credit at low interest.

4[illegible] Acres

In Washington county; 120 acres of Beaver dam land, with no timber or brush on it; about 40 acres of heavy timber, balance open hazel brush land. There is a good Barn and Log house on the place; also a fine young orchard and 16 acres of Timothy meadow. The land is nearly all under fence, and it can easily be made one of the finest farms in Oregon. Price $5,250.

68[illegible] Acres

On the Columbia bottom, 20 miles north of Portland, 2½ miles from landing place of daily steamers on the Columbia river. Lake river, a navigable stream, crosses the place. It is one of the best dairy farms in the country. Two hundred and sixty acres of this tract is good pasture and meadow land, and will be sold separately or with part or all of the balance, which is timber.

Price for the meadow and pasture, $15 per acre; for the timber, $7 00 per acre. Price for the whole tract, $0,500. Terms—Two thirds cash, balance on time. Good buildings on the place.

March 7, 1877. mh7d1m

PORTLAND BAKERY.

Cor. Fourth and A. Streets.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES PLEASURE TO announce to his friends, acquaintances and the public in general, that he has re-opened the above Bakery, where he always will keep on hand an assortment of [illegible]

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

[illegible]

To Take Effect [illegible], 1876, at [illegible] o'clock Noon.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY)

As follows:

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7:30 A. M.	Roseburg	[illegible] P. M.
Roseburg	5:00 A. M.	Portland	[illegible] P. M.

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) As follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	3:60 P. M.	Albany	8:26 P. M.
Albany	5:30 A. M.	Portland	10:05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	6:[illegible]5 A. M.	Junction	6:00 P. M.
Junction	5:45 A. M.	Portland	5:[illegible]5 P. M.

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing

PORTLAND.

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M.

J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.

E. P. ROGERS,
Gen'l. Freight and Passenger Agent.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION.

[illegible]

KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Kalama	11:[illegible] A. M.	Tacoma	5:[illegible] P. M.
Tacoma	6:30 A. M.	Kalama	12:30 P. M.

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tenino with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for Seattle, Olympia and all other points on Puget Sound.

On Saturday and Wednesday at 8 A. M. with steamers for Port Townsend, Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Fraser River.

Connecting Tri-Monthly with Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s steamers from VICTORIA to SAN FRANCISCO.

Through fare from Portland to San Francisco:

Cabin..............$25 00 | Steerage..............$13 00

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O. S. N. Co., Portland, Or.

J. W. SPRAGUE,
General Superintendent.

H. W. FAIRWEATHER,
General Ticket Agent.

CITY ADVERTISEMENT.

Ordinance No. 193.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving Third street from the center of Yamhill street to the center of Taylor street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of Third street from the center of Yamhill street to the center of Taylor street shall be completed as hereinafter provided on or before the 1st day of May 1877.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions, (sidewalks of the proper width and grade, and otherwise in good condition excepted.) If the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The roadway shall be graded to the depth of 17 inches at the center of the street and 20 inches at the gutters; a foundation course of broken stone shall be spread evenly over the surface a thickness of 12 inches at the center line of the street and gradually diminishing to 8 inches at the gutters, the stone shall be broken upon the ground and shall not exceed 12 inches in largest diameter. Upon the foundation course of broken stone a layer of gravel or crushed stone shall be evenly spread to a thickness of inches at the center and inches at the gutters, the street shall then be opened for travel for 10 days, when a second layer of gravel or crushed stone shall be evenly spread of such thickness as will bring the surface of the street to grade. The bottom layer shall be stone of good quality, free from cobbles or coarse gravel, the top course shall be of clean gravel or crushed stone, none of which shall be of more than 2 inches in diameter, and free from loam or other impurities except clean sharp sand.

Section 4. The improvement shall also consist of laying side and crosswalks where necessary, or by repairing the same, the lumber and material to be used to conform to the provisions of sections 11 and 12 of Ordinance No. 793.

Section 5. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 6. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Section 7. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Passed the Common Council March 7, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved March 8, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 1944.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE time and manner of improving E street from the west line of Tenth street to the center line of Seventeenth street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The proposed improvement of that part of E street lying between the center line of Seventeenth street and the west line of Tenth street shall be completed in the manner hereinafter provided on or before the 1st day of June, 1877.

Section 2. The surface of the street shall be cleared of all timber, plank or other obstructions (sidewalks of the proper width and grade and otherwise in good condition excepted.) If the obstructions are not removed within three days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets they shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor.

Section 3. The improvement shall consist of grading, laying sidewalks and crosswalks and constructing a bridge across Tanner's Creek.

Section 4. The bridge across Tanner's creek shall be built similar to the bridge on G street and according to plans and specifications to be furnished by the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Section 5. Sidewalks and crosswalks shall correspond as nearly as practicable to the provisions of sections 7 and 8 of Ordinance No. 793, entitled "An Ordinance in relation to the improvement of streets."

Section 6. The provisions of sections 11 and 12 of said Ordinance No. 793, shall apply to all lumber and material used in the improvement provided for by this Ordinance.

Section 7. The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress, and shall be responsible for any loss or accident resulting from carelessness or neglect.

Section 8. The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets.

Section 9. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council March 7, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved March 11, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 1943.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE IMprovement of public grounds.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for constructing a fence around each of the following Park Blocks No's 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16; the fence to be similar to the one around Park Blocks in Couch's Addition, and more particularly described in specifications to be furnished by the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Section 2. Said Committee are hereby authorized to fix the time of completion of said work or any part thereof, and to make such regulations and agreements relating thereto as the public interests may require.

Passed the Common Council March 7, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved March 8, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 1950.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A TEMPOrary loan.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Ways and Means are hereby authorized to borrow not exceeding seven thousand five hundred dollars, payable out of the first moneys collected for taxes for 1877, at a rate of interest not exceeding ten per cent. per annum, and the Auditor and Clerk is hereby authorized to sign and issue the necessary notes, or obligations, therefor. The money so borrowed to be placed in the General Fund.

Passed the Common Council March 7, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved March 8, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN,
Mayor.

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North Thirteenth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the city of Portland propose to improve North Thirteenth street from the center of G street to the center of [illegible] street, by grading [illegible] and laying sidewalks and crosswalks on the west side of the street.

[illegible]

STOVES [illegible]

N. W. SPAULDING [illegible]

REPAIRING [illegible] CIRCULAR [illegible] Muley, Gang [illegible] kinds, together [illegible] bottom at lowest [illegible]

Cast-Steel [illegible] ING CUTTERS [illegible] short notice.

[illegible] Commission Merchants [illegible] authorized Agents [illegible]

Orders sent through [illegible] wise filled at same [illegible]

To the [illegible]

[illegible]

Nervous and [illegible]

DR. [illegible]

ESSENCE [illegible]

NERVOUS AND [illegible] all Seminal [illegible] Premature [illegible] positively and [illegible] morbid [illegible]

Unquestionable [illegible] ing in this city, and [illegible] good effects of the [illegible]

Price, $3 per bottle [illegible] case, or $10. [illegible] any address, upon [illegible] sent by [illegible]

At 20 [illegible]

Sunday from [illegible]

Beef, Pork, [illegible]

Beef, Pork, [illegible]

EXPORTERS [illegible]

STAPLE [illegible]

FIRE BRICK [illegible]

GRAIN SACK [illegible]

NO. 27 FRO[illegible]

PORTLAND, [illegible]

SIMON, [illegible]

DOORS, SASH [illegible]

WINDOW [illegible]

Crystal Sheet, [illegible]

LOOKING [illegible]

Glazing done to order [illegible]

PIONEER [illegible]

FOOT OF YAM[illegible]

SORENSEN [illegible]

ALL KINDS [illegible]

Sawed and unsawed [illegible] livered to any [illegible]

CHAS. L[illegible]

Cor. Third and A[illegible]

DEALER IN [illegible] Goods of all de[illegible] Brunswick & Balke Co[illegible] Virginius Pool Tables [illegible]

NOTICE TO CR[illegible]

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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Mysterious Disappearance of Oakey Hall.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The *Times* has a five-column account of the disappearance and probable suicide of ex-Mayor A. Oakey Hall. Some accounts state that Hall has fled because of the return of Sweeney, fearing trouble in connection with the Tweed ring. There are vague rumors in connection with the affair. The *Sun* announces that Hall was missed by the public for the first time on Tuesday when his client, James Rice, was under indictment for manslaughter in the third degree. His unexpected absence gave rise to comment and then to an inquiry, and culminated in the evening in grave apprehension. Hall had not appeared at his office since Friday last, and though slated in the directory of the [illegible] he was not seen there. He has lately [illegible] years. He rarely [illegible] [illegible] building. His [illegible] [illegible] to his friends [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] nothing since that has been heard as to his whereabouts.

[illegible] Hall was last seen at [illegible] Park Row about two [illegible] [illegible] is feared by his friends while temporarily insane he destroyed [illegible] Hall's family [illegible] live with their [illegible] at home [illegible] Mrs. Hall were [illegible] in his office have been [illegible] no traces indicating the motive for the [illegible] man's departure, or his intended destination could be discovered. Hall made many [illegible] changes in his business arrangements previous to his departure. Hall is the [illegible] and warm personal friend of the [illegible] miss Ada Dyas. Miss Dyas was in the [illegible] last night, and when told of Hall's disappearance was greatly distressed.

[illegible] Superintendent Walling admits he was reluctantly compelled to seek aid in the matter of Hall's disappearance, [illegible] was reported to him by [illegible] Judge Brady who insisted on the greatest [illegible] being observed. Brady had no theory or information to impart. A[illegible] he knew was Hall's family were very anxious as to his whereabouts and had asked for the services of police in searching for him. Supt. [illegible] selected one of the most trustworthy headquarters detectives, and detailed [illegible] search, but up to 12 o'clock last night [illegible] of the missing man had been discovered. The detective to-night said he had visited the hotels, ferries, steamship offices and railway depots, and other places, but found not the slightest trace of him. Several persons with whom he conversed, were of the opinion that Hall was insane and had committed suicide. A gentleman whose name can't be mentioned, asserted last night that on Friday morning Hall had a disagreement at [illegible], and on quitting the house he appeared [illegible]. The same gentleman says Hall had an appointment to take Ada Dyas to the theater Friday night, and had failed to keep it.

Contradicted.

The Hall story is entirely false. Hall appeared at the *Herald* office at 3 this morning, having just heard of the story. The *Herald* had over five columns of the story in type, but promptly suppressed every line.

Reaffirmed.

It is denied now by the editor of the *Herald* that Hall has been at the *Herald* office to-night. The *Herald* has nothing of the story.

Latest about A. O. Hall.

NEW YORK, March 21.—No reliable news has been heard as to the disappearance of A. Oakey Hall, ex-Mayor, who has not been seen since Friday, beyond the fact that he cannot be found. It is rumored he told one or two persons on Friday that he was about to leave town for a few days.

Gold and Bonds.

New York, March 21.—Silver bars, [illegible] 116 gold; silver [illegible]